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## PASSING OF A PIONEER.

### Clinton Heath, Prominent in Republican Politics, Dies on His 73rd Birthday.

The death of Clinton Heath, which occurred at his home in Irwindale on Thursday evening, removes one of the pioneers of this county, and one who has done his full share towards its wonderful development.

For several years the deceased has been much afflicted, having had to have one of his arms amputated on account of cancer. Through it all, however, he has borne his sufferings with much fortitude, and was quite active until several weeks ago when he was taken ill with his last fatal illness, and from the first the medical attendant entertained little hope for his recovery.

The funeral will occur this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Covina Christian Church, of which he was a devoted member, the Rev. J. W. Utter, pastor, conducting the service. At the grave the Masons will take charge. The pall bearers will be T. A. McCormick, F. M. Chapman, Geo. T. Brown, T. F. Griswold, Warren Keller and L. D. Winder.

Clinton Heath's death is felt as a personal loss to many outside of the family circle. Of kindly disposition, he was a man that created warm friendships and of him it can be truly said he never wronged his fellowman. The many acts of personal kindness and assistance that he has rendered to those in need will never be known. To the writer his death is a deep personal loss and his kindly consideration and almost parental solicitation for our welfare will linger many years in our memory. He was a man among thousands.

Born August 23, 1833, in West Virginia, he crossed the plains to California by ox team in 1853, his companion being Senator McComas, now of Pomona. He remained only a short time in California, returning east to Missouri in 1855, when he married Miss Susan Searcy of Platt county. To them were born twelve children, three of whom died in infancy, four daughters and five sons surviving, Mrs. J. C. Deck, L. W. Heath and H. G. Heath of Pomona; J. W. Heath, Mrs. Coltrin, Mrs. Mathew Matney and Miss Ethel Heath of Covina.

In 1874 Mr. and Mrs. Heath and family moved from Missouri to Compton, California, where they lived for twelve years, moving to Pomona in 1886, and twelve years later Mr. Heath purchased the property and took up his residence at Irwindale.

He took an active part in politics and was a delegate at fourteen conventions, standing at all times for clean politics and clean men. The day before his death he expressed with considerable feeling his hearty approval of the work done by the Venice convention in nominating by acclamation J. D. Fredericks as district attorney of the county. "Fredericks is a clean man," were almost his last words.

### Spoiled Sport Saved Deer.

While on a recent camping trip in the San Gabriel canyon, Miss Ellen Beach Yaw was the means of saving the lives of two beautiful deer. Miss Yaw had not yet arisen one early morning and was watching a most beautiful sunrise, when attracted by a slight noise nearby, she saw two lovely deer taking their morning drink at the brook. She called the attention of her sister, Mrs. Ben F. Thorpe, to the deer, and they were both greatly excited to see two hunters coming up the canyon with rifles. Miss Yaw at once commenced singing some of her clear, sweet notes, which gave the deer sufficient warning to escape up the steep mountain side before the hunters saw them. Miss Yaw is a great lover of animals and birds, horses and dogs are her especial friends and pets. Only recently she entered complaints against some boys for shooting song birds near her home. Most every specie of bird is protected by law and Miss Yaw will spare no pains or expense to see that her birds are protected.

## Covina High and Grammar Schools to Open September 17th. List of Teachers.

The Covina schools will open for the coming year on Monday, September 17th. Below we publish the entire list of officers and teachers for the ensuing term.

Board of trustees: J. H. Coolman, president; J. D. Reed, M. D., clerk: L. L. Ratekin.

Teachers, High School: A. Harvey Collins, principal, history; Miss Effie Lemonds, English and French; Miss M. Evangeline Griswold, mathematics; Miss Minnie Moskowitz, Latin, German and drawing; Miss Lillie E. V. Lloyd, Greek and Latin; Mr. W. G. Gladfelter, chemistry, physics and botany; Miss Constance F. Manning, commercial work and Spanish.

Grammar School teachers: A. Harvey Collins, supervising principal; Mrs. Carrie A. Miller, vice-principal, eighth grade and music; Miss Harriet M. Davis, seventh grade; Miss Olive L. Taylor, sixth grade; Miss Dora A. Blanchard, fifth grade; Miss Widney, fourth grade; Miss Bertha Crabb, third grade; Miss Georgia Garrison, second grade; Miss Virginia Garrison, first grade.

Janitor, High and Grammar Schools, A. T. Sigstad.

The positions of drawing teacher and of physical culture teacher have not yet been filled. The board are, however, in communication with several well recommended teachers concerning the drawing.

Examinations for those who are delinquent in one or more subjects will be given on Friday, September 14, 1906. Those who wish to avail themselves of this opportunity to make up delinquencies should present themselves at that time. Lists of the required books will be published as soon as they can be prepared.

Supervising principal Collins may be found in his office every day, either in the morning or the afternoon.

### Farmers' Club Holds Meeting.

The regular monthly meeting of the Covina Valley Farmers' Club held last Saturday was entertained by Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Mussey at the residence of R. J. Clizbe.

The club was favored with a piano solo by Miss Vyryenne Faulder, which was followed by the reading of the minutes of the last meeting. Mr. C. E Bemis then took up the topic of the day and gave a very interesting talk on the black, red and purple scale and their parasites.

This was followed by a short program, consisting of a vocal solo by Miss Evelyn Fletcher, a reading by Mrs. J. D. Reed, and a duet by the Misses Muriel and Lorene Bemis.

J. L. Matthews was voted an honorary member of the club.

The subject for the next meeting, to be held on the third Saturday in September, was announced as cover crops. The place of meeting will be announced later.

### Spot Cash Firm to Buy Up Fruit.

We are cash buyers of oranges and lemons. All growers who wish to sell their fruit for cash, either by the lump, by the pound, or by the box, will be interested to know that the Southwestern Brokerage Company has entered the field as the largest cash buyer of citrus fruits in California.

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## Murray-Wilkins.

An interesting wedding took place in Holy Trinity Church on Tuesday last at high noon, when Miss Beatrice Mary Wilkins, the charming and accomplished daughter of Mrs. Wilkins of Covina and the late Rev. John Wilkins, rector of St. Bede's, Gateshead, England, was united to Mr. William E. Murray, a Los Angeles inventor of noted Scotch family. The ceremony was performed by the rector, the Rev. A. Fletcher. The bride entered the church on the arm of her brother, A. J. Wilkins of Ocean Park, to the strains of the Lohengrin wedding march, played by Miss Vaughn, and looked lovely in a grey princess reception gown with picture hat to match. Miss Beatrice Wilkins of Ocean Park, the maid of honor, was simply attired in white, and the handsome mother of the bride, in grey silk, looked very happy, as all her children were present except the Rev. Harold Wilkins of Yorkshire, England. Mr. A. V. D'Arcy of New York acted as best man.

After the ceremony lunch was served by the sisters of the bride, Mrs. Rosa C. Clarke, Mrs. F. W. Sherwood, Mrs. W. H. Matthews of Catalina, and Mrs. John Brunjes, at the home of the first mentioned, covers being laid for twenty-two.

The happy couple left on the 3:30 train for a short wedding trip to "parts unknown," to be followed later by a tour of the East and Europe.

The bride was the recipient of many handsome presents.

The bride is a gifted lady, a young woman of rare sweetness, who for the past three years has resided in Los Angeles, where she has a host of friends. Equally popular is the groom, who is the inventor of a device for harbor and coast defense which it is expected will revolutionize modern warfare. Negotiations are now in progress for the sale of his device to the United States government for several million dollars.

### Orange Ranch Sold.

Waldo L. Smith, through the agency of L. M. Pratt of Los Angeles, has purchased a 23 acre orange and lemon grove located between Covina and Glendora. The property is located on Gladstone avenue just west of Grand avenue, and has about 5 acres planted to Eureka lemon trees 10 years old, 10 acres in navels, mostly 10 years old, balance young Valencia trees. The grove was owned by a non-resident and has not been properly taken care of. For this reason it was sold for a very low figure; consideration $8500. Mr. Smith has recently come to California from Nebraska. With his family he will make his home on the property just acquired.

### It Was a Surprise.

Mr. John W. Thomas of the Covina Furniture Company, and Mrs. Olive Scott of West Badillo street surprised their many friends on Saturday last by quietly slipping off to Los Angeles and being joined in holy wedlock by the Rev. Mr. Ross of that city.

The bride, a charming widow, is the daughter of Mrs. C. A. Daniels, and a sister of the Daniels brothers of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas have a host of friends and the happy couple are being showered with congratulations.

### Leave for Honolulu.

Members of the Southern California Editorial Association leave on Thursday next on a trip to Honolulu. It is the intention of the editor and his wife to join the party and we have made all arrangements to that end. We are leaving our business affairs in competent hands and our readers can depend upon every courtesy being shown them during our absence. All orders for printing will also receive prompt attention.

### Notice.

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J. L. MATTHEWS, Publisher

Covina, Los Angeles County, California

A dressmaker knows a lot about the seamy side of life.

It's an easy matter to sympathize with the poor when your pockets are empty.

He who knocks and runs away may live to become an expert hammer wielder.

A social call isn't synonymous with what women call each other when they are angry.

"Russia is on the verge of a revolution." If we understand it, this is worse than "facing a crisis."

The trusts have one little hope. The men who are fighting them may want to take a vacation after a while.

When a man begins to jeer at reform it is a pretty safe indication that he has a pain in his head, instead of in his stomach.

If some of the shots now being fired at the peekaboo shirtwaist should make more holes in that article it would be scandalous.

Some hungry persons would rather take the risk of getting a little dirt with their ham and eggs than rely upon breakfast foods.

A Philadelphia doctor watched an operation upon himself with much satisfaction, knowing that professional courtesy would accept no fee.

The will of Michael Davitt is characteristic of the man. A good fighter, he never kept malice, or was willing to do an injustice to an enemy.

Dr. Erastus Holt of Portland approves the Dr. Osler theory minus 15 years of the 40-year limit. Thus are we theorized into a world of old men at 30.

It is a premature announcement that Mr. Rockefeller is considering the purchase of Europe. The only inducement to such a transaction would be a special rebate.

Three boys who ran away from New York were found in Pittsburg. They had probably made up their minds to become millionaires and get their names in the papers.

If a woman should not be hanged, then neither should a man. In matters of this kind gallantry should cut no figure. A man's life is worth as much or as little as a woman's.

"What Should a Boy Spend at College?" asks Harper's Weekly. The question is one for the "old man" to wrestle with. The boy will spend every cent of his allowance, no matter what it is, and write for more.

A Connecticut preacher has declared that Adam was not the first man. The Connecticut gentleman, it will be noticed, has taken the precaution to wait until there would be absolutely no danger of Adam's bringing witnesses to substantiate his claim.

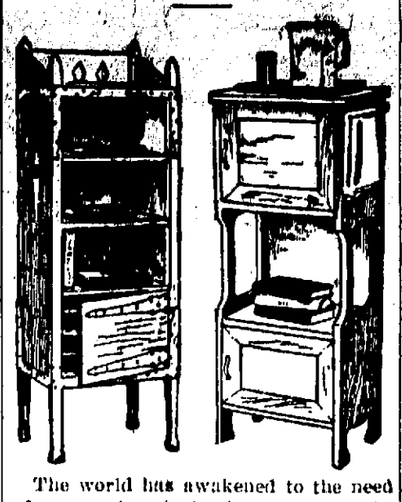
Why does a dog hang out his tongue? is the question now interesting some of the German scientists. When this mighty problem is settled, may we request the learned professors to turn their attention to discovering why a dog wags his tail? With these two extremes scientifically understood, the remainder of the canine problem will be easy.

As a condensed nugget of irreconcilable inconsistencies the United States government comes pathetically near wearing the blue ribbon; not that its incongruous inconsistencies are to be here enumerated—for neither time, space, paper nor ink suffice. But just to mention one of the many: Our government requires every vessel sailing under the American flag to be manned by licensed officers, and yet its own vessels are not commanded by licensed seamen. In many instances subordinate officers are licensed and know much more about seamanship than "the man on the bridge." If licensed seamen are best for the merchant marine, why not for the navy, the revenue service and the geodetic survey.

The public debt of France is $6,000,000,000, all held at home. In addition, the French people own foreign securities to the stupendous aggregate of $15,000,000,000, and it is further estimated that an equal amount is placed in home securities. These figures may be exaggerated—all but those representing the public debt—but they illustrate the virtue there is in thrift, which is also a German usage. There is no Rockefeller, no Carnegie, in France, though there may be a lesser Russell Sage. The French people do not speculate; they save. They do not get rich at a hop, skip and jump; they accumulate by slow degrees—they economize. The crime of crimes in rural France is waste, and France would subsist on what America throws away. Within the past year there have rotted on American farms enough machinery and utensils to supply agricultural France the next quarter of a century.

The question of school hygiene, and especially of overwork on the part of the pupils, has received considerable attention of late. To the useful discussion of this subject Dr. G. Woodruff Johnston makes a valuable contribution in the North American Review. He deals with the object of school life and present methods of study on the health of the pupils, and while the American data on the subject are few and superficial, as far as they go they support conclusions reached in Europe by systematic inquirers. Whenever and wherever such an investigation has been attempted, a surprising amount of ill health among school children has been reported. Moreover, "though varying in degree, from slight functional disturbances to actual illness, the same morbid conditions were found" in every place and every time. There are many "school diseases," the most typical of them, perhaps, being headache. This disease may be due to anaemia, eye strain, bad ventilation, nerve exhaustion, fatigue and other causes. From 40 to 50 per cent of all school children suffer from it, and it is habitual, girls, however, being affected more than boys. The number of scholars suffering from habitual headache increases step by step and grade by grade with advancement through school, and significantly enough, the headaches grow more frequent and severe as the term progresses, disappear in the holidays and reappear with the next term. Among other school diseases are sleeplessness, palpitation, irritability, mental weariness, twitching and instability in posture and balance. The diseases affecting the nervous system, according to Dr. Johnston, are of greatest interest to Americans, for "we know that our heredity, ideas, climate, environment and habits of life predispose to such affections." Now, much can be done to prevent disease among school children by attending to light and ventilation, the shape and height of desks and the like, and food is also an important factor. It appears, however, that "fatigue is the determining cause of many diseases and aggravates most or all of them." Fatigue, then, is the evil to attack. Overwork must be avoided in all grades, and, recreation and exercise encouraged. The article concludes with these words: "The remedy * * * lies not in the almost professional athleticism which is now the vogue, for in this it is evident that we are merely substituting one form of fatigue for another no less injurious, but rather in a completer apprehension of the school child as a young animal at work and play, and a rational adaptation of work and play to his capacities and needs." This is exactly what leading educators have been saying of late, and the problem is worthy of the most careful consideration.

## ART IN FURNITURE.



The world has awakened to the need of greater beauty in the home, and the revival of decorative arts and crafts, under the enthusiasm of William Morris and John Ruskin, has been an incentive to inventive minds to create furnishings of both beauty and utility. It should be borne in mind that excessive ornamentation or decoration in a home is indicative of poor taste, and poor taste, unfortunately, has too often entailed a wasteful expenditure that has added nothing to ease and comfort, which are the things to be desired.

Of all the handicrafts, probably that of the woodworker stands first in importance, not only because of more general utility, but for the reason that it forms the basis of many other arts and crafts.

The arts and crafts furniture combines unique design with usability and clever arrangement. The little economies of space which are shown in this popular furniture are in reality labor-saving devices.—Montreal Star.

### Insurance of Varied Kinds.

"How many kinds of insurance are there?" asks a correspondent. By a coincidence we received in the same mail the business card of an enterprising local insurance agency in a western city which claims to have on sale "all kinds of insurance and bonds." Here is the western agency's list: Fire, life, safe, rents, theft, credit, patent, marine, tornado, accident, burglary, sprinkler, lightning, plate glass, transportation, tourists' baggage, bink and messenger robbery, tailors' and furniture floaters', physicians' and druggists' liability, travelers' samples, fidelity, official, guaranteed attorney's department, contract, judicial and court bonds, teams, health, postal, elevator, casualty, flywheel, leasehold, automobile, contingent, steam boiler, landlords' liability, use and occupancy, employers' liability, workmen's collective, liquor dealers' license, general liability, holdup insurance, bank accounts.—Insurance Press.

### Its Classification.

"How would you classify the work of playing church music?"

"I would put it under the head of organized labor."—Baltimore American.

## BOOKS.

When sorrow sets around thy wayward path
And many troubles follow in her train;
When dire mischance it seems will never wane,
And life for thee no sort of pleasure hath;
When friendship proves as frail as any lath,
Snaps in a trice and leaves the dull, slow pain—
The aching heart that ne'er may hope again—
And drear despair seems life's sole aftermath,
There is an outlet from thy dreary creed;
There is a pasture on which thou may'st feed;
There is a never-failing friend at hand.
Turn to thy shelves and choose a goodly tome,
A mighty mind of ancient Greece or Rome,
Perchance a bard of thy own native land.
Then may'st thou leave all trouble far behind,
And soar unto the regions of the blest;
Then be thy body, mind and soul at rest,
Oblivious to the tempest and the wind
That howls around the shipwreck of thy mind,
For, by the thraldom of that tome possessed,
Despair hath lost its potence to molest,
And not an inlet can thy troubles find.
Oh, blessings be on every poet head!
With wreaths of joy may each be garlanded
And happiness forever be thy meed!
Who for us men hath wrought so great a joy,
Devoid of all adulterate alloy—
A genuine soil whereon the soul may feed.
—Cyril M. Drew.

## THE CASE OF OLIVIA.

MR. ENDICOTT looked toward the street, and a frown gathered on his face. Mrs. Endicott's glance followed his to where Olivia stood at the end of the gravel walk, talking to a young man.

"We'll have to put a stop to that business," said Mr. Endicott severely. "That fellow!" he added contemptuously. "A cheap family and a cheap specimen of it."

"Don't say anything when she comes in," urged Mrs. Endicott anxiously as the girl came toward the house. "It

"THE RIDE WAS SO PLEASANT."

would only make matters worse. I have a plan, and I'll tell you about it when we can be alone."

Olivia came in flushed and smiling, her eyes bright. She seemed happy, but did not talk much, and helped her mother as usual about getting tea. That evening, when the house was still, the father and mother sat talking.

"What are you going to do about it?" asked Mr. Endicott. "Forbid his coming around here? or send her off somewhere?"

"Neither," said his wife. "I've given a great deal of thought and study to the question, and I think I see how to deal with it in the simplest and most natural way. You see it has been going on only a little while, and has not actually become serious. She cannot really care for him, for he is not our kind at all. He has no education, and he is not interested in the same things she is, but don't you see, dear, he is the only man she sees very much of, and naturally his attentions flatter her and she thinks she likes him. If it goes on she will get the idea firmly fixed in her mind that he is the only one in the world for her, and if we waited too long it would be impossible to change her opinion, and you know such affairs thrive on opposition."

"But what is your remedy?" Mr. Endicott spoke a little impatiently. "She's out of school now, and doesn't have so much to take up her mind. I don't see how we are going to keep her from getting interested in any Peter Woodard that happens along."

"My idea is that if a girl sees more or less of a good many men, she isn't nearly as likely to make a fool of herself over one. So I've been thinking that you could let Olivia do all the farm errands at the village. She will see people then, and it will occupy her mind and get it off of that young man, and besides, it will relieve you of some care."

"We'll try it," said Mr. Endicott, dubiously, "but I am afraid it is too simple a remedy."

The next morning at the breakfast table, Mr. Endicott said in a casual way, "Do you suppose you could drive Dolly over to Greensboro to Mr. Torrey's to have her shod?"

"Why, of course I could," said Olivia, brightening. "I'd like to, it's such a lovely morning."

"Well, help mother do the dishes and I'll have the horse ready for you."

The dishes were done in quick time, and Olivia drove off down the street. "You can wait in the blacksmith shop and learn how to shoe horses yourself," her father called after her.

"Why did you send her way over to Greensboro?" his wife questioned.

"Well, Torrey is an extra nice fellow and he's bright and intelligent. Besides, he doesn't have the crowd hanging around that the other blacksmith does. He'll be pleasant, and talk to her, and give her something to think about."

When Olivia came home she could hardly wait to get into the house to tell her mother of her experiences. "I had a lovely time," she said eagerly. "The ride was so pleasant, and Dolly went good. Then when I got to Mr. Torrey's I told him who I was and he was ever so nice. I sat down on a nail keg and watched him work, and he told me about the best way to shoe a horse. After he got the shoes fitted, his man nailed them on and finished the hoofs off, and while he was doing that, Mr. Torrey showed me his upsetting machine, that he sets tires with, you know. Instead of cutting a piece out of a tire they heat it red hot and put it into the machine and squeeze it together, so as to make it smaller. And he gave quite a lecture about the right heat for welding, and showed me how the temper runs out on a piece of steel, and that when it is just such a color it must be put in the water to stop it, so it won't be too hard and break, or too soft and get dull right off. It was a pick-ax he was sharpening. He had a whole lot of picks to sharpen; they are the ones the Italians are using to dig for the town water, and the town pays him for the work. I was really sorry when I had to come away, he talked so interestingly. I think he's as nice as he can be."

Mr. Endicott was thinking of buying a cream separator, and the next day he sent Olivia to a farm six miles away to see a separator that was in use there. She came home full of enthusiasm. "I got there just in time to see it run," she said, "and the man was real kind and told me all about how it worked, and took it to pieces and showed me how he washed it. Then he showed me the engine that runs it, and the silos where they have their silage, and the cows—oh, lovely cows, nearly a hundred of them." And so she ran on, talking of nothing else all day but the things she had seen.

It was a busy time for Olivia, and at the end of a fortnight she had added quite a number of men to her list of acquaintances. There was the grocer—her father began trading at a different store because the proprietor was a man of intelligence and high character—who talked with her about topics of the day; the bank cashier, who had a pleasant word for her; the grain dealer, who showed her all over his buildings and explained the machinery and the new electric motor that ran it. Everyone knew her father, and everyone she met seemed pleased to see her and glad to spend time to tell her about his work, in which she took a lively interest. She also had an errand at the lawyer's and at the doctor's, so she had a look at the professional world.

Olivia laughed as she reviewed the two weeks. "I don't know, mother, which I'd rather be if I were a man—a blacksmith, a farmer, a business man, a banker, doctor, lawyer, electrician, but I think," and she laughed again, "that I'd do expressing, as I have been doing, and go errands that will take me to all these various places and give me a chance to talk with all sorts and conditions of men."

"What do you think?" asked Mrs. Endicott of Mr. Endicott, at about this time.

"I think your plan has worked to a charm," he said. "She seems so happy and interested in everything. And besides all that, you've no idea what a help she is to me. She's got a level head and does the errands as well as I could, and it seems to me I have twice as much time to work on the farm as I had before. It is surprising how many errands there are to be done. I'm greatly pleased with the plan, and I guess we won't have to worry about that young sprig any more."

"I don't think we will," said Mrs. Endicott. "What do you think she said about him the other day? We saw him going by, and she stepped back from the window so he wouldn't see her. 'It's too bad about him,' she said, 'I used to think he was a pleasant boy, but within a few days I've found out that he goes around with a class of fellows that are not very nice. I saw him one day and he was acting like a regular rowdy.' She didn't say anything for awhile and then she went on, coloring up a little: 'Since I've seen so many pleasant people, men who are bright and smart and amount to something in the world, I've changed my standards of what a young fellow ought to be.' Oh, John! I was thankful when I heard her say that."

Mr. Endicott took his wife's hand in his and gave it a squeeze, looking at her admiringly. "You've got a great head, my dear, and I'm proud of you," he said.—Rural New Yorker.

### Painted Too Realistic.

Mrs. Gaswell—Is your niece still doing art work?

Mrs. Sudden-Clymer—Yes, indeed. The other day she painted a bunch of golden-rod so lifelike and natural that it gives me the hay fever every time I look at it.—Cleveland Leader.

### Ostrich Farming Profitable.

Ostrich farming at Salt River Valley, Arizona, is becoming a very important industry, and it is possible that in the future the price of the feathers may be reduced.

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### Kaisers, Two for Five.

Considering how old the picture post card fad is, and how brash is the German Emperor and anxious to be first in everything, it is quiet that they did not get together long before now. But together they are at last, though it be somewhat behind the schedule time. Needless to say, too, the Emperor is doing his best to make up for lost time. He has thrown himself into the new hobby with characteristic energy, and numerous letters, written by Emperor William's direction, are sent broadcast over Germany, marked "Business of State," to various officials.

Whatever hour of the day or night that envelopes so marked are received at their destination, they have to be delivered without delay. Thus officials are often aroused from their peaceful slumber to receive the imperial letter—which simply conveys a greeting and a demand for a picture postcard to be sent to his Majesty "By return mail."—Boston Transcript.

### The Refreshment of Change.

A charming old lady who was socially inclined, but who was kept rather closely at home by the pressure of many cares, used sometimes to exclaim, "I do just love to drink out of somebody else's teacups!"

A fitting pendant to this agreeable anecdote is another of a little girl whose supper invariably consisted of bread and butter, milk and apple sauce—a monotonous diet, of which she frequently complained.

One day she was asked out to supper at a neighbor's. At a late hour the hostess found that no apple sauce had been prepared for the little guest, so she sent one of the maid's to the child's home for a supply.

The little girl, on returning to her mother, was enthusiastic about the delightful visit, and particularly about the "beautiful supper," when she had been allowed to pour milk and cream for herself from the daintiest little pitchers.

"And oh, such good apple sauce, mamma, the best I ever tasted!"

### Palmistry Vindicated.

The fair amateur palmist looked at the left hand of the sweet young girl long and earnestly.

Breathlessly she waited for the palmist's next words.

"Ah! I see by your hand that you are engaged to be married," said the palmist.

"How wonderful!" exclaimed the bride-to-be.

"And," continued the reader of the future and the past, in a more cutting tone, "I see that you are engaged to Mr. Loony."

"Oh, it's perfectly extraordinary!" burst out the blushing girl. "How could you know that?"

"By my long study of the science," was the reply.

"But surely the lines in my hand cannot tell you the na——"

"Who said anything about lines?" replied the prophetic one, with withering scorn. "You are wearing the engagement ring I returned him three weeks ago!"—Answers.

### Poor Father.

Johnnie—Pa, equine is a horse, isn't it?

Father—Yes.

Johnnie—And cow is a kind of an ox, isn't it?

Father—Yes, a sort of an ox.

Johnnie—Then what is an equinox?—Philadelphia Record.

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### Not for Him.

Druggist—Here's a painkiller that I put up myself. If you use it once you will use no other.

Stranger—I'll be glad to recommend it, but none of it for me, thank you.

Druggist—Beg pardon, but I don't quite understand what——

Stranger (interrupting)—Oh, that's all right. I'm an undertaker.—Columbus Dispatch.

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## EGYPT USES MOTOR PLOWS.

**ttle for Traction Not Plentiful in Land of the Pyramids.**

Owing to the lack of cattle for trac-
n in Egypt there has been a consid-
ble development in the use of agri-
ltural steam engines—already em-
yed for a long time on the khedivial
tates and on some other extensive
operties—as well as an increase in
als of various new patterns of light
tor plows. In importing steam plows
motor plows two different demands
ve to be distinguished and met by
tirely different forms of machine.

On the one hand, there is the re-
irement of the proprietor of large
ms, which is a steam plow of power-
and solid construction, capable of
rforming in a limited time a large
ount of work, both as regards depth
plowing and area covered. Hence
weight and dimensions of the en-
e and the price of the plow com-
te are not the most important con-
erations provided that the relation
ween the cost of working and the
rk done is satisfactory.

The second kind of mechanical plow
uld be chiefly appropriate to the
ds of the small landowner and ca-
ble of being used contingently on the
all tenant farms or for lesser crops
tivated in remote districts. From
s standpoint the chief requisites in
se machines are lightness and re-
ed dimensions, which, however,
uld not prevent a considerable
ount of work being performed and
e of manipulation. As one may easily
derstand, the working capacity of
h a plow can not be compared with
t of the heavy plows first mentioned,
the article will answer the purpose
t gives slightly better results than
be obtained with oxen and if its
king cost is as far as possible no
ater.

n many districts in Egypt steam
ws are operated by native laborers,
ervised only occasionally by a Eu-
ean mechanic. These who are ac-
inted with the negligent, clumsy
violent fashion in which all new
chinery is treated by the native in
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ure be obtainable at a low price. At
ent prices of alcohol in Egypt, how-
, the use of an alcohol motor plow
ld hardly prove any cheaper than
team plow using coal.

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ine-tenths of the peasants in Russia
in huts without floors, and too low
a tall man to stand in.

## NO GRAFT IN MANCHESTER.

**Activities of English City Conducted Like a Private Business.**

In Manchester there is no spoils system, there is no observable graft, there are no bosses. The managers of the different departments of the city government are permanent officials who have, in most cases, worked their way up through the department. Thus, to the general manager of the tramways department, J. M. McElroy, the business of managing Manchester tramways is the business of his life. There is no graft in Mr. McElroy's department, because he is held strictly accountable for the expenditures of his department,—not loosely, but strictly accountable. There is not even "honest" graft, for a reason which lies at the root of good government. The obvious reason, which lies on the surface where any one can see it, is the fact that Manchester has been developing and perfecting the idea of representative government, while Newark, New York, Chicago, St. Louis and Pittsburg have, little by little, year by year, been losing their hold on the idea of representative government.

In order to work effectively, representative government must be simple in its outlines. A certain number of men are chosen by their fellow citizens to carry on the organization of a cooperating community. In theory, every voter has a hand in the government. In fact, the town-meeting idea is so cumbersome as to be impossible in the management of a large city. So the city is divided into districts; and each district delegates its governing power for a time to certain individuals, who are, in return, held to account for their acts as parties to the government. These delegates, or representatives of the people, meet and organize in order to carry on the business of being a city. In Manchester, if you brush aside the surface complication, that is all there is to it. The business which these representatives carry on is not simple in detail, but it is quite simple in outline. It has been found that the business of conveying citizens about the streets and the business of supplying them wth light and water, and with a place to sleep after death, if transferred to private corporations, as we have done it in America, invariably results in a greedy exploitation of the people. This, since the people control the government, it has been thought wise to avoid. Consequently, the representatives of the people, organized as a city council, conduct, for the people, those utilities which have come to be regarded as the secondary necessaries of life.—Success Magazine.

**The Operatic Kind.**

"Why do they say 'the even tenor?'"

"Well, why shouldn't they?"

"Most tenors are extremely odd."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

## DIAMONDS OUT OF SPACE.

**Samples Mined on Earth Only Fragments of Immense Meteorites.**

The only real perfect diamonds which are to be found on this globe are those which fall from the sky in meteorites; all diamonds which are mined in the diamond fields of the world are only fragments of gems.

That is a startling statement, but a still more startling one is that all the diamonds to be found on this planet have fallen on the earth from the skies and have not, as most persons suppose, been produced here like coal and other mineral products.

Yet this is the latest scientific assertion with regard to the world's stock of the precious stones. The whole stock of the Kimberly mines, with their unknown resources, and all the gems of this character to be found in any part of the planet—all have fallen from space at some time or other.

Somewhere in the illimitable distance there is a vast diamond factory, the only place where perfect gems are produced. The first piece of evidence is that the whole of the rock in which the Kimberly gems are found is similar to nothing else on earth; it has been given a distinguishing name (kimberly) and it corresponds exactly with the matter of which meteorites are composed.

In plain language, the whole of that vast mass of rock fell on earth from the skies at some late period of the world's formation. This is rather staggering, but it must be remembered that there is a mountain in Arizona which is acknowledged by all scientists to be a meteoric mountain. And diamonds are being found at that spot.

Diamonds are found practically in superficial layers of the earth's crust; that is another proof of their celestial origin. Further, the diamond crystals are formed like no others that are of earthly origin; this is regarded as a strong proof that they fell from above. It is curious that earthly diamonds are not perfect and that some of them when first brought from Kimberly mines and exposed to the air explode and crack into several pieces. Now the stones which come down in meteorites also explode when they are taken from the protecting mass which covers them completely. This is due to the peculiar conditions which prevail where the stones are produced and these conditions cannot prevail on the earth as the oxygen prevents them.

In order to make a diamond it is necessary that the constituents should be very hot and then cooled quite suddenly; nothing else will account for the peculiar shape of the crystals and the general formation of the gem.

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It is thought that the game of whist was first played in the time of King Henry VIII. of England.

## WOMEN RULE THIS COUNTRY.

**Stamp of the Feminine Mind Seen on Everything American.**

In the United States there are at least 1,000,000 more men than women and only one-tenth of the women are at work outside of their own homes. Yet the stamp of the feminine mind is upon everything American and in many of the higher phases of culture women take the initiative.

This rule of women in the United States begins in our public schools, where boys and girls are educated together and where the teacher is always, in the lower grades at least, a woman. In the great cities the feminine influence goes into every nook and cranny of social development. A woman has been suggested as Mayor of Chicago and the "civic creed" of Chicago was composed by a woman and is recited every day by thousands of school children.

Women compose very largely the reading public and no current novel can succeed without their patronage. Some of the most successful magazines are devoted to their interest exclusively and those given to scientific and philosophic discussions seldom exist long or they become the organs of small and detached organizations of men.

Art exhibits are conducted by women and women hold executive officials in world's fair committees. They serve as chairmen of school boards and they torment, through their municipal leagues, the party leaders. They are notable as charity workers and they have made reputations as doctors, lawyers, magazine editors, newspaper reporters, preachers, political speakers and labor organizers and agitators. Indeed, where in the United States do we not find the woman with her influence, battering at all doors?—World's Work.

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**Hasty Explanation.**

Gunner—There goes a saintly looking man. I bet he is temperance from his heart.

Guyer—That might be, but I saw him lying out in the middle of the road on his back the other day.

Gunner—Did, eh? Well, that shows how looks deceive. The idea of a man like him drink——

Guyer—Who said anything about drinking? He was lying down on his back under his automobile repairing a breakdown.—Baltimore Sun.

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**Just Possible.**

Clara—I wish I could believe what he says, but——

Maude—What does he say?

Clara—Why, he says he loves me, yet he has only known me two days.

Maude—Well, perhaps that's the reason.

## WOMAN BEATS MACHINE.

**Automatic Housecleaning Device Could Not Take Her Place.**

"I have called," said the agent of the automatic house-cleaning apparatus, as related in the Detroit Free Press, "to try to interest you in our method of cleaning house. We have a machine here that will do all your work."

"Will your machine wash the outside of the upstairs windows?" exclaimed the woman.

"No, but——"

"Will it wash, stretch and iron the curtains; take them down and put them up again?"

"No, but——"

"Will it paper the little room in the hall and clean the wall paper in the bathroom?"

"No, it is not intended——"

"Will it prevent my husband from walking over a clean floor with his dirty feet?"

"No, madam, but——"

"Will it take down the parlor stove and put up the ice chest?"

"No, but we are prepared——"

"Will it wash the winter bedclothes, put camphor in my furs, make my daughter help with the dishes, keep my husband from grumbling about the cold meals, persuade him to do the gardening, keep the dog out of the parlor, paint the kitchen floor, gild the gas fixtures and the picture frames, hang new portieres, carry the ashes out of the cellar and find time to make new dresses for three girls and summer night shirts for my husband?"

"No, madam, of course, our machine has limitations."

"Limitations! Of course it has. Every machine has, but man expects a woman to have none. Limitations, indeed! If it had any limitations it wouldn't be long before this house would go to ruin. It will be a long time before you men'll make a machine to take a woman's place or do half the work. Good day."

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**Misunderstood.**

"What are you reading, John?" asked Mrs. Stubb, looking up from her sewing.

"Why, something about 'Cleaning Up Panama,'" replied her husband, who was perusing an article on the improvements down in the zone.

"Why, what a loss of time! I know all about cleaning up panamas. All you have to do is to put them over a bowl of burning sulphur and cover them up with a bandbox."

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**Consistent.**

"Why does the conductor collect fares just as we are entering the tunnel?" inquired the stranger.

"That is the company's order," explained the native. "It's to cover the conductor's confusion when he blushes for having to collect any fare at all on this line."

## THE GREAT AFRICAN ROAD.

**Steel Rails Being Laid Rapidly Between the Cape and Cairo.**

Various interests combined, under the encouragement of the British government, are now constructing what is called the Cape to Cairo Railway, a line of track from the Mediterranean to the Cape of Good Hope. On the northern end the Egyptian government has already built to Khartoum, and at the southern end of the continent the South African Development Company is making encouraging progress with funds obtained by the sale of bonds. The road is one of the greatest enterprises ever undertaken—quite as great as the Siberian Railway. Cecil Rhodes, the empire builder, first suggested the scheme and organized the movement. People thought he was insane, but he was only wise and far-sighted and progressive beyond his generation. The road is not intended to carry through freight or to be a money maker of itself, but it will be the most powerful agency that could be devised in the development of the dark continent.

There are other railroads in Africa. The French are building extensively in Algiers and down on the coast of Guinea, and propose to construct a line across the Desert of Sahara. There are schemes to develop the desert, to irrigate vast tracts of land between Algiers on the north and Timbuctoo on the south, and the railway is intended to cross somewhere between those points on the meridian of longitude. The Germans are doing a good deal also in the way of development. They have several lines of road running up from the coast into the interior of the territory which they control.

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**Premature.**

The street car passenger handed back the nickel that had been given him in change.

"What's the matter with it?" asked the conductor.

"It's plugged," answered the passenger. "You should have waited till you got a little further into the tunnel before trying to pass it."

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**Overlooked One Part of It.**

The rector's little daughter did not appear to be wholly satisfied.

"Why, dear," said her mother, "don't you remember you prayed the other night for a brown collie dog? Well, here it is."

"Yes," pouted the little girl, "but I prayed for a brass collar and chain, too."

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**Sorrow of It.**

Hal—There goes a woman who bunkoed me out of a fortune.

Ned—Why, how's that?

Hal—She's the heiress I was telling you about who refused to marry me.—Columbus Dispatch.

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Regular Republican Nominee for County Superintendent of Schools.

GEO. H. HUTTON

Regular Republican Nominee for Superior Judge

That the Republicans of this county stand for purity and morality in both public and private life was never more clearly shown than at the Venice convention this week when 800 representative men of the county publicly announced their unalterable determination to stamp out race track gambling.

The following resolution was unanimously and enthusiastically adopted:

"Resolved, That the Republican party is and has always been a consistent advocate of decency and morality; that it cannot and will not countenance any institution which lowers the moral tone of the community or tends to the degradation of the individual; that while the racing of horses properly conducted is not and should not be the subject of just criticism, the conduct of race tracks solely for the promotion of gambling is pernicious in the extreme and is a disgraceful blot upon any community, and should be and is hereby earnestly condemned by this convention.

"Resolved further, that believing that pool selling, bookmaking and all kinds of race track gambling as carried on, are detrimental to good morals, we instruct our Senators and Representatives in the State Legislature to secure state legislation prohibiting the same in the state of California."

### Strong With the People.

Riverside Press: One of the most absurd arguments that is used against the renomination of Governor Pardee is that he would not make a strong candidate at the polls.

This is what the Sacramento Bee, the strongest champion that Lane had in the state four years ago, says on that point:

"Here as brief as may be, is the situation: the people generally have faith and confidence, and trust, in George C. Pardee. Among those who hold that faith, that confidence, that trust, are the warmest personal friends of [illegible] for Franklin K. Lane. [illegible] fought George C. Pardee are now his warmest [illegible] admit he has [illegible] should not have [illegible] some [illegible] nominated. [illegible] that, on [illegible] a most admirable and [illegible] Governor, and [illegible] say so. [illegible] great [illegible] of this state [illegible] with George C. Pardee. They know that [illegible] Democratic [illegible] as well as the [illegible] house, the name of George C. Pardee [illegible]

"The writer knows for he has it from their own lips that those whom he believes to be the strongest [illegible] for the Democratic nomination for Governor, will not accept a nomination against George C. Pardee, for they admit no available Democrat in California can defeat him if he is nominated

the independent thinking Democracy among the common people will stand shoulder to shoulder with stalwart Republicanism in his support."

Elsewhere in this issue appears the announcement that a new firm, heavily financed, the Southwestern Brokerage Company, has entered the field to purchase oranges on a spot cash proposition. This will be good news to the grower as the Exchange and the spot cash buyer are the two methods of marketing fruit that guarantees living prices for the producer. A firm that pays spot cash is always a "bull" in the market.

Considerable indignation is felt in Azusa, Covina and elsewhere at an article which appeared in the Los Angeles Times of Sunday in reference to a Covina hunting party accused of shooting a doe. The article throughout, which is designed to assail and injure the character of several of Covina's prominent citizens, is a tissue of malicious lies and fake inerviews with mythical persons. Who is "Charlie" Smith?

### University of Southern California.

President Bovard has received official notice from the State University that the work done in the University of Southern California will be accredited at the State institution, and that entrance examinations will be waived in the case of students who have completed satisfactorily the work of the preparatory school.

### Laying Steel.

The track layers of the Covina Electric commenced work at Vineland yesterday, and it is now only a few weeks before the track will be laid to the center of the city.

Another large grading camp was established just west of the city yesterday and they have orders to rush the work to completion as far as the Covina city limits on the east.

### Pastor May Resign.

Rev. J. W. Utter, pastor of the Christian Church, unpleasantly surprised his congregation last Sunday by intimating that he had been offered the assistant pastorate of the First Christian Church, Pasadena, and was seriously considering accepting the same. This gentleman is much loved by his congregation and should his decision be final his loss will be looked upon as an almost irreparable one to the local church.

### CERTIFICATE OF PARTNERS. IN THE FIRM OF KUNNY BROS.

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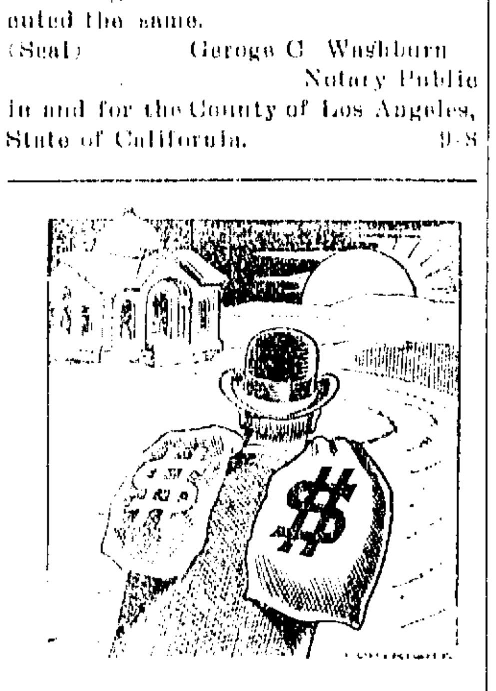
JOHN KUNNEY,
PETER R. KUNNY.

State of California, County of Los Angeles, ss

Personally appeared before me, this 1st day of August, 1906, John Kunny and Peter R. Kunny, known to me to be the persons who executed the foregoing instrument and each acknowledged to me that he had executed the same.

(Seal) Geroge C Washburn
Notary Public
in and for the County of Los Angeles, State of California. 9-8

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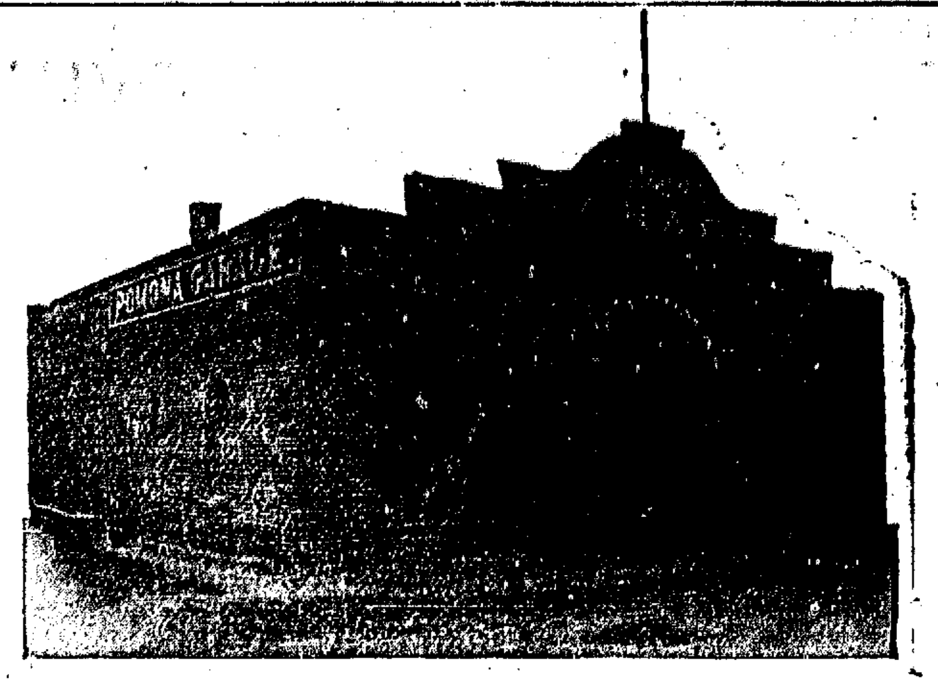


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# Local Events.

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Mrs. Belle Harris left Wednesday for an indefinite stay at Avalon.

Miss Clara Amon spent a few days during the past week at Redondo.

Wm. McFarlane of Long Beach was here on business yesterday.

P. N. Warner left Tuesday for his home at Sanger, Cal., after spending a few days with relatives here.

Miss Loisel Leighton left Thursday for a few days visit with friends in Los Angeles.

For 10 days, good recleaned wheat for $1.40 cwt. in half ton lots. San Garbiel Valley Milling Company.

W. H. Lavayen left Thursday for Stanford where he will take a course in civil engineering at the university.

Miss Blanche Boots is visiting relatives and friends at Los Angeles and Iglewood.

Mrs. I. C. Fairly and children returned Wednesday after a pleasant outing at Long Beach.

Misses Elsie and Grace Spencer visited the past week with friends in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Daniels and son George are enjoying a week's outing at Venice.

Miss Vera Van Auken has been spending her vacation at Long Beach the past week.

Miss Grace Blackman, who has been taking an outing at Long Beach, retured Thursday evening.

Miss Alma Blackman returned this week after a ten days' visit with friends at Modesto.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Houser and family, who have been spending their vacation at El Pizmo, returned Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. King and family and Miss Cora McKirahan returned Wednesday evening after a month's outing at Sycamore Flats.

Mrs. W. H. Matthews and little daughter came over from Catalina Tuesday to attend the Wilkins-Murrey wedding.

Mrs. Alice Burpee and children, accompanied by the former's brother, Frank Wellington, left yesterday for a two weeks' outing at Follows Camp.

Mrs. Etta Faex and little son of Burnett, Cal, is visiting at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Crouse.

Mrs. J. N. Wilson and little son returned Sunday evening after a two months visit with relatives in Chicago.

Dr. D. C. Herron and daughters, Misses Anna and Charlotte, returned Thursday evening after a week's stay at Catalina.

Miss Emma Neste, who has been spending several months here with her sister, Mrs. Victor Peterson, left yesterday evening for her home in Granite Falls, Minnesota.

Mrs. F. E. de Coninsh, who has been spending several months with her mother, Mrs. H. Peck, left Sunday morning for her home in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Dudderar have had as their guests this week, Mr. and Mrs Lester Fulmer of Norton, Kansas, and Miss Estella Bell of Norcatur, Kansas.

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Mrs. J. V. Montgomery is enjoying an outing at Long Beach.

Charles Dametel of Azusa avenue is reported as quite seriously ill.

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Mrs. I. I. Cook and Miss Vyvyenne Fauider left Wednesday for a week's sojourn at Avalon.

George Sturtevant, who has been spending the past four months in Arizona, returned Wednesday evening.

Wanted:—Family Washing. Mrs. E. W. Herron, near corner Center and First streets.

Mrs. S. W. Hallahan was up from Ocean Park this week attending to ranch affairs.

Mrs. C. W. Potter has been entertaining her niece, Miss Ellen Nevell of Los Angeles, during the past week.

Prof. S. S. Ingram of Monrovia spent yesterday in Covina.

Mrs. J. W. Prentiss has been spending the past week at Long Beach.

C. V. Judd of Montalvo, Cal., is visiting a few days at the home of his sister, Mrs. J. R. Hodges.

Miss Helen Flory of Los Angeles is visiting this week at the home of her uncle, M. Bashor.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Fabrick and son Clarence left yesterday for a week's outing at Ocean Park.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McGiffert returned last evening from a pleasant auto trip along the coast. They were absent five days.

Robt. Taylor, a trusted employee of Warner, Whitsel & Co., is threatened with a nervous breakdown. He is taking a rest for several days.

S. S. Aschenbrenner left yesterday for Oregon. He will return with a bride. Sam has kept this affair very quiet but it leaked out a few hours before he left.

On Wednesday evening, August 22, Miss Grace Boots entertained about twenty of her friends in honor of her sixteenth birthday. Games were played and the evening passed merrily. Ice cream and cake were served. The young folks departed wishing Miss Grace many happy returns.

FOR SALE—Finest 20 acre all Valencia grove in state, block from electric line, Covina. Three years' income $24000, packers' statement. Heaviest crop now on trees. Property worth $40,000; reduced for quick sale to $29,000. If you know a bargain and are interested, don't delay. See owner, H. H. Smith, 721 S. Broadway, Los Angeles, Cal.

### New Road Overseer.

A petition is being circulatted and very generally signed for the appointment of J. L. Motter as road overseer in the Covina district. If this is acted upon it will mean the removal of Jacob Brunjes.

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## CHARTER OAK.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Given visited friends in Hollywood Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. A. G. Sutton of Pasadena is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. P. M. Allen.

Wm. Crook and family are spending a couple of weeks at Avalon.

Robin Graham left Thursday for Seattle and British Columbia to be gone several weeks. While absent he will visit in San Francisco, Portland and other northern points.

Mrs. Wm. Bowring and Miss Winnitred spent several days visiting friends at Santa Monica.

Rev. H. C. Ward was in attendance at the Christian Convention held at Long Beach last week.

## Church News

Rev. A. Fletcher left for the San Bernardino mountains on Tuesday to take a vacation of three weeks at Bluff Lake. For the next three Sundays there will be no services in Holy Trinity Church. The services will be resumed on Sept. 16th.

Presbyterian services: Sunday-school 9:45. Preaching 11, subject, "Who is on the Lord's Side?" Y. P.S.C.E. 6:45 p. m. Gospel service 7:45 p.m., subject, "Lot's Wife a Beacon." All are most cordially invited to be present.
Paul G. Stevens, pastor.

Methodist Episcopal Church, Isaac Jewell, D D, pastor. Sunday-school 9:45. Epworth League 6:45. Preaching 11 a.m. and 7:45 p. m. Morning subject, "The Flourishing Church." Evening subject, "A Great Ambition." Vacation now being over, let us all report at God's house.

Sunday services at the Christian Church. Sunday-school 9:45 a. m. Preaching morning and evening by Pastor J. W. Utter. Membership meeting called at close of morning service. C. E., 6:45 p.m.; subject, "Home Missions Among Our Island Possessions," Isa. 42:1-12; leader, Miss Dora Blanchard. Praise service. Evening sermon, "Unsearchable Riches."

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For Sale—Two houses, to be moved about the 1st of September. Apply to Mrs. I. I. Cook.

Tree tanglefoot will protect your trees from damage by beetles, ants or climbing cut-worms. For sale by G. F. Preston, Covina. Home phone 57.

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On fame's eternal camping ground
  Their silent tents are spread,
And Glory guards, with solemn round,
  The bivouac of the dead.

No rumor of the foe's advance
  Now swells upon the wind;
No troubled thoughts at midnight haunts
  Of loved ones left behind;
No vision of the morrow's strife
  The warrior's dream alarms;
No braying horn nor screaming fife
  At dawn shall call to arms.

Their shivered swords are red with rust,
  Their plumed heads are bowed;
Their haughty banner, trailed in dust,
  Is now their martial shroud.
And plenteous funeral tears have washed
  The red stains from each brow,
And the proud forms, by battle gashed,
  Are free from anguish now.

The neighing troops, the flashing blade.
  The bugle's stirring blast.
The charge, the dreadful cannonade,
  The din and shout, are past;
No war's wild note nor glory's peal
  Shall thrill with fierce delight
Those breasts that never more may feel
  The rapture of the fight.

Like the fierce northern hurricane
  That sweeps his great plateau,
Flushed with the triumph yet to gain,
  Came down the serried foe.
Who heard the thunder of the fray
  Break o'er the field beneath,
Knew well the watchword of that day
  Was "Victory or Death."

Long had the doubtful conflict raged
  O'er all that stricken plain,
For never fiercer fight had waged
  The vengeful blood of Spain;
And still the storm of battle blew,
  Still swelled the gory tide;
Not long, our stout old chieftain knew,
  Such odds his strength could bide.

'Twas in that hour his stern command
  Called to a martyr's grave
The flower of his beloved land,
  The nation's flag to save.
By rivers of their fathers' gore
  His first-born laurels grew,
And well he deemed the sons would pour
  Their lives for glory, too.

Full many a norther's breath has swept
  O'er Angostura's plain,
And long the pitying sky has wept
  Above its mouldered slain.
The raven's scream, or eagle's flight,
  Or shepherd's pensive lay,
Alone awakes each sullen height
  That frowned o'er that dread fray.

Sons of the Dark and Bloody Ground,
  You must not slumber there,
Where stranger steps and tongues resound
  Along the heedless air.
Your own proud land's heroic soil
  Shall be your fitter grave;
She claims from war his richest spoil—
  The ashes of her brave.

Thus 'neath their parent turf they rest,
  Far from the gory field,
Borne to a Spartan mother's breast
  On many a bloody shield;
The sunshine of their native sky
  Smiles sadly on them here,
And kindred eyes and hearts watch by
  The heroes' sepulchre.

Rest on, embalmed and sainted dead!
  Dear as the blood ye gave;
No impious footstep here shall tread
  The herbage of your grave;
Nor shall your glory be forgot
  While Fame her record keeps,
O Honor points the hallowed spot
  Where Valor proudly sleeps.

Yon marble minstrel's voiceless stone
  In deathless song shall tell,
When many a vanished age hath flown,
  The story how ye fell;
Nor wreck, nor change, nor winter's blight,
  Nor Time's remorseless doom,
Shall dim one ray of glory's light
  That gilds your deathless tomb.
—Theodore O'Hara.

## LOSING BRAZIL TRADE.

### Lack of Merchant Marine Puts United States Far in Rear.

Brazil is a country of varied and wonderful resources and, with the introduction of proper machinery and up-to-date methods, its development would be extended so that within a few years it would produce enormously and take rank among the leading commercial countries in the world, says the New York Tribune. Its export trade is advancing now at a very rapid rate, especially that in rubber, which amounts to millions of dollars annually.

The introduction of the bicycle, the automobile and other rubber-tired vehicles has given the rubber production an impetus which has caused it to forge to the front as the leading export of the country.

The coffee trade is also being extended rapidly, having a healthy growth to its credit. The United States purchases one-half the coffee exported from Brazil, which, during the fiscal year ended with June 30, 1904, amounted in value to $46,922,074.

Of the three leading nations which sold their products to Brazil in 1904 Great Britain ranks first, with $34,970,260 to its credit, or 28 per cent of the total amount of her imports. Germany comes second, with $15,975,118, or 12 per cent, and the United States third, with $14,031,970, or 11 per cent. The great disparity of the amount of goods sold by Great Britain and the United States to Brazil presents a problem for the manufacturers and exporters of this country which must be solved if their trade with that and other South American countries is to be extended.

Of Britain's imports in 1904 the leading articles were the manufactures of cotton, which amounted to $18,744,912; manufactures of iron and steel, $16,197,644; breadstuffs, $13,809,731; wine, $7,685,625; provisions, $7,207,480, and coal, $6,183,638. Of all these, with the possible exception of wine, the United States is a manufacturer, or agricultural producer, and it seems absurd that Brazil should be obliged to seek them in Europe instead of from her North American neighbor.

Of the exports from Brazil during the same period coffee and rubber comprised the principal articles. For the six months ended June 30, 1904 and 1905, the value of coffee exported amounted to $31,113,915 and $33,449,641, and the value of the rubber to $29,443,877 and $39,610,439, respectively. This shows an increase in rubber exports of $10,166,562 for the six months under review.

In recent years a large amount of foreign capital has been invested in Brazilian enterprises, especially in the city of Rio Janeiro. German capitalists have established steamship lines for coast service, and American and Canadian capitalists have acquired the car lines, gas works and telephone service at Rio Janeiro, the money invested being closely estimated at $25,000,000.

This, however, is only the beginning of the invasion of Brazil by foreign enterprise. There is a determined movement now being made to revolutionize the trade conditions there. The United States is reaching out to grasp what it considers to be its fair share of the trade which has been controlled so long by Great Britain and Germany. The greatest obstacle in the way of its passage to the desired goal is the weakness of the merchant marine of this country. American exporters have not the facilities for transporting their goods to Brazil which are enjoyed by their rivals in Europe, and until this obstacle is removed the progress of American trade must necessarily be slow.

The record of the ports of Brazil for the year 1904 is a sad one for study by American exporters. During the year 17,407 sailing vessels and steamers entered the ports, with an aggregate tonnage of 11,879,533, being an increase of 1,339 in the number of vessels and 811,265 in the tonnage, and of these the American flag is represented as among the 299 of "other countries", not specified because of the small number of their ships.

## BEAUTIFUL AND CLEVER.

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One of the most beautiful and clever women in Washington is Baroness Rosen, wife of the Russian ambassador. She is the confidant and adviser of her husband and nothing is done by the latter, unless the baroness is first consulted. The latter is well acquainted with American ways, having been with her husband when he was consul general at New York and likewise at Washington when he was charge d'affaires there. It was in Washington that their only child, Miss Elizabeth, now a sprightly girl of 16, was born. Baroness Rosen is the daughter of Gen. Odintzoff, a famous Russian soldier and governor of Nijni Novgorod. She takes a prominent place in Washington society and has made many friends both for herself and her husband by her cleverness, tact and great beauty.

BARONESS ROSEN.

### A Veteran.

A member of the bar of Baltimore relates how a witness in a trial suit in that city once "got back" at the lawyer who had been endeavoring to "rattle" the witness by a severe cross-examination.

At a certain point in the proceedings the witness suddenly interrupted the cross-examining lawyer by exclaiming:

"Look here! You needn't think you kin rattle me by askin' all them questions."

"No?" was the sarcastic rejoinder.

"No, sirree!" came in emphatic tone from the refractory witness. "Your questions don't bother me at all. I've raised three sons an' two grandsons, an' I've been in training a good many years."—Harper's Weekly.

### Overshot the Mark.

Mrs. Houston—I don't believe you ever want to work.

Weary Willie—Oh, honest, lady, many's the time. But I'm such a strenuous feller that every time I start ter go ter work I go clean past it.—Philadelphia Press.

### Writing by Proxy.

Newman—The idea of saying that Penman doesn't write the books that are published over his name! Why, he keeps two secretaries busy!

Criticus—Yes, one writing and the other dictating.—Translated for Tales from Le Figaro.

### Sadness of It.

Singleton—The only relations I have are distant.

Wedderly—Huh! You're in luck. All mine are near enough to visit me. —Chicago News.

If a man make a change in business against his wife's wishes, and it proves a mistake, how he does catch it for the balance of his life!


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is respectfully directed to the following important changes in the time of the Santa Fe trains running between Azusa and Los Angeles. Effective June 4th, 1905.

**TO LOS ANGELES**

| STATIONS | No. 7 Overland | No. 1 Overland | No. 41 Daily | No. 3 Limited | No. 43 Daily |
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| | a. m. | a. m. | a. m. | p. m. | p. m. |
| Leave Azusa | 5:35 | 7:10 | 9:01 | 1:10 | 4:41 |
| Ar. in Los Angeles | 6:30 | 8:25 | 10:03 | 2:05 | 5:40 |

**FROM LOS ANGELES**

| STATIONS | No. 8 Overland | No. 42 Local Daily | No. 44 Local Daily | No. 4 Limited | No. 2 Overland |
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| | a. m. | a. m. | p m. | p. m. | p. m. |
| Leave Los Angeles | 7:30 | 8:30 | 4:30 | 6:15 | 8:00 |
| Arrive in Azusa | 8:32 | 9:32 | 5:26 | 7:04 | 9:04 |

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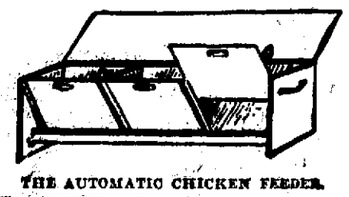


THE AUTOMATIC CHICKEN FEEDER.

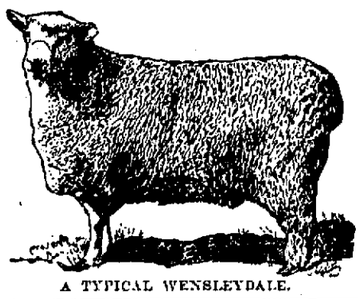
in one and grit or oyster shells in a third. The chickens can help themselves whenever they want to eat, and their feed is always clean and they can't waste their feed by getting it in the mud or snow, and the lid is on hinges, so it can be shut down and fastened, so that feed is perfectly dry. Each bin will hold one peck of feed.—Farm Progress.

**Summer Cultivation.**

Summer plowing will answer well on ground that has long been in sod, and which has been turned under in the spring. Such land is usually planted to corn or potatoes, and the frequent use of the cultivator keeps the ground loose and promotes decay of the sod. But potatoes for an early stock are harvested as soon as possible, which leaves the soil not only rough, but in an excellent condition for weeds. By plowing the soil after the potatoes are off it will be reduced to a finer condition, the weeds will be destroyed and the second crop of weeds rearded, so that by the time the land should be gotten ready for wheat (when it should be plowed again) the seed bed for the wheat can be harrowed down fine and nice, while all the weeds will not only have been destroyed, but prevented from seeding. If the plowing on corn land is done as soon as the corn is out, and again the land plowed before seeding the wheat, it will be a great benefit to the wheat.

**Fine Wool Sheep.**

The Wensleydale breed of sheep is far from common even in its home, England. None is in America. It is a fine sheep, superior in some respects to all others. It is said that for crossing on any other breed the Wensleydale has no equal. Since the Royal Agricultural Society of England commenced giving prizes for wool three years ago, the Wensleydale wool has each time secured first prize in the "any other long-



A TYPICAL WENSLEYDALE.

wooled class." No long wool produced in the British Isles is equal to the Wensleydale in quality or value.

**Culling Live Stock.**

A great many breeders fail to achieve the results at which they aim simply because of their reluctance to discard an occasional animal which contains a slight blemish. Wanting the best, they use what they know is not perfect to produce it, hoping nature will kindly gloss over and not reproduce the defect. Such a policy is suicidal. The breeder who would enjoy the highest success must not be afraid to cull. Let every animal which can not be rated as first-class, and strictly so, be matured and sold. Breed from only the best, and on no condition or consideration let your flock deteriorate through failure to reject the imperfect.—Agricultural Epitomist.

**Use of Coal Ashes.**

While coal ashes contain no fertilizing value they are certainly useful on the farm and should be saved. They are not entirely valueless in the soil, for they will materially assist in making a stiff clay soil more workable if well mixed with it. The best use for coal ashes, however, is in the filling in of wet spots, sifting them and using the fine ashes in the dust boxes in the poultry houses and the coarser portions for the making of walks alone or mixed with gravel. They may be used to advantage as a mulch around trees mainly for the purpose of keeping the soil moist and keeping grass from growing around them.

**Nail Wounds in Hoofs.**

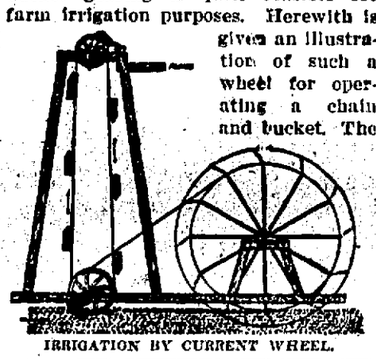
It has long been known that nail pricks and other similar injuries in the horse's hoof may lead to an infection followed by formation of pus under the horn of the hoof and a serious general disease of the horse or at least the loss of the hoof. In a bulletin of the South Dakota Station, Moore has recently reported results obtained in a number of cases from applying a strict antiseptic treatment to injuries of this sort. The method consists in paring away the horn of the hoof from the affected part until the blood oozes out. The hoof is then thoroughly washed in a solution of bichlorid of mercury at the rate of one part to 500 of water, after which absorbent cotton saturated in a solution of the same strength is applied to the wound and the whole hoof is packed in cotton surrounded by a bandage and well coated with tar. This prevents any further filth from coming in contact with the wound. The operation must usually be done by a qualified veterinarian. Subsequent treatment, however, can be applied by the average farmer, since all that is necessary is to pour a little of this solution of bichlorid of mercury upon the cotton which projects from the upper part of the bandage. The cotton will absorb enough of the solution to keep the wound moistened and hasten the healing process.

**Shade the Poultry Yard.**

If it is necessary to confine the poultry during the summer and the inclosure cannot be placed near the shade of buildings or trees, try the plan of growing some plants just outside the fence, but far enough from it so that the fowls cannot get at the foliage. One of the best plants for the purpose is the canna, using the cheap, tall-growing sorts, and buying the roots, not the seeds. Another quick growing plant and one which will make an abundance of shade is the castor bean, which may be grown from seeds planted where they are to stay; that is, the young plants cannot well be transferred. Even corn set thickly will furnish some shade quickly, and if a vine is wanted, nothing is better than the common morning-glory, the seeds being sown thick and the vines trained along strings fastened to the poultry yard fence. While the vines or plants are growing erect a rough roof of boards open on all sides to supply temporary shade.

**Farm Irrigation Plant.**

A current wheel to run a chain and bucket gearing is quite feasible for farm irrigation purposes. Herewith is given an illustration of such a wheel for operating a chain and bucket. The



IRRIGATION BY CURRENT WHEEL.

diagram is self-explanatory.

**A Pointed Question.**

Two cows cost $40 each per year for keep. One of them yields you 4,000 quarts of milk a year, that bring you $86. The other yields 120 quarts, that bring you $26. The latter loses for you about $14 and reduces the gain on the former from $46 to $32. Why do you keep the 1,200-quart cow? You would be better off with the one that clears $46, for you would have only half the investment, half the work, and half the feeding, and you would gain $14 each year. There would be no surplus butter on the market for years to come and prices would rule strong if the cows were eliminated which are kept at a loss. Dairy farmers have not yet half waked up to an understanding of the great practical importance of weeding out the unprofitable cows from their herds. Many a man would make a fair profit, that now faces a constant loss, if he would keep only such cows as pay a profit on their keep.—Farm Journal.

**Hauling Hay.**

It is a very desirable thing to be able to haul all the hay into the barn the same day it is cut. The worriment and anxiety consequent upon the liability of a storm before morning are thus avoided, and experience has taught that hay having no more than three or four hours' sun will come out in the spring perfectly sweet and in fine condition for the cattle. In adopting this plan it is well to keep the hay constantly stirred with a tedder. There has been a fear of putting hay into some barns that contain a noticeable amount of water, but if it is properly packed by being evenly distributed over the mow, each forkful trodden upon, and the barn kept closed as much as possible, the result will probably be gratifying.

**Farm Tools and Implements.**

On many farms, hoes, forks, shovels and other tools have to be looked up when wanted, and this looking up sometimes consumes more time than would be required by the job of work itself. Oftentimes plows, harrows and cultivators, instead of being carefully housed, are left out of doors all winter.

**Apply a Good Fertilizer.**

The value of vegetables depends largely upon quick growth, and if crops are not growing well some quick-acting fertilizer like nitrate of soda, guano or poultry droppings, should be worked into the soil close to the roots. Frequent cultivation of the soil with the cultivator, rake or hoe will often be all that is necessary.

**Dean Shaler.**

Few men at Harvard have had more influence with the students there than Dean Nathaniel S. Shaler, geologist, of the Lawrence Scientific School, who died recently. Some years ago an irreverent volume of skits of college professors was published by some under graduates and entitled "Harvard Celebrities." This is what it had to say of him:

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Scientific mountain-scaler,
Penetrator
Of each crater
From the poles to the Equator;
Tamer of the hurricane,
Prophet of the wind and rain,
Hypnotizer
Of the geyser,
Wizard of the frozen plain.
Hark! What is that deep and subterranean roar
Arising near Memorial and reaching out to Gore?
'Tis the rumble of applause
When the speaker makes a pause
In relating an adventure from his fund of earthquake-lore.

**A Chance for Somebody.**

"Very strange, isn't it, about the story of Adam and Eve?"

"How?"

"Why, as far as I know, it hasn't been worked up into a historical novel."—Watson's Magazine.


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Mrs. A. Taylor, of Wharton, N. J., says: "I had kidney trouble in its most painful and severe form, and the torture I went through now seems to have been almost unbearable. I had backache, pains in the side and loins, dizzy spells and hot, feverish headaches. There were bearing down pains, and the kidney secretions passed too frequently, and with a burning sensation. They showed sediment. I became discouraged, weak, languid and depressed, so sick and weak that I could not keep up. As doctors did not cure me I decided to try Doan's Kidney Pills, and with such success that my troubles were all gone after using eight boxes, and my strength, ambition and general health is fine."

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**Don't Whine.**

"Don't go around with a whine in your voice and a cloud on your face and tell what might have been if someone else had done his duty," says the August Journal. "Nine chances in ten you are the one who is wholly to blame. Get the mirror before you and give yourself a rigid examination. You could give yourself a worse name than the one you gave the other fellow. Get right with yourself."


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**Life's Prime Is at Forty.**

The larger part of the great fortunes of this country have been accumulated after their amassers have passed 40. In fact, the first forty years of a man's life are the preparatory years—the years of training and discipline. A large part of this time he is laying the foundation—just getting ready to rear the superstructure. Many of us stumble around many years before we get into the right place and then for additional years we make many mistakes. Most men do not get wise until they have passed 40. They may get knowledge before this, but not much wisdom. Wisdom is a ripening process. It takes time.

At the age when Dr. Osler thinks men are becoming useless Lincoln was trying to get an appointment as a land commissioner and failed. At the same age nobody outside of his own little community knew Ulysses S. Grant. He had not then accomplished anything of note, and yet he became the greatest military figure of his day.

Every man makes his own deadline. Some reach it at 35, some at 40, some at 50; some do not reach it at 80, some never reach it, because they never cease to grow.—O. S. Marden, in Success


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**He Wasn't Romantic.**

She nestled her head on his manly breast.

"Oh, George!" she whispered, "how loud your heart beats! And every beat is for your own Angeline, isn't it, dear?"

He looked uncomfortable.

"Well, the fact is," he said, "that the engagement ring cost so much that I'm—er—obliged for the present to carry one of these dollar watches. That's what you hear."—Cleveland Leader.

**No Indications.**

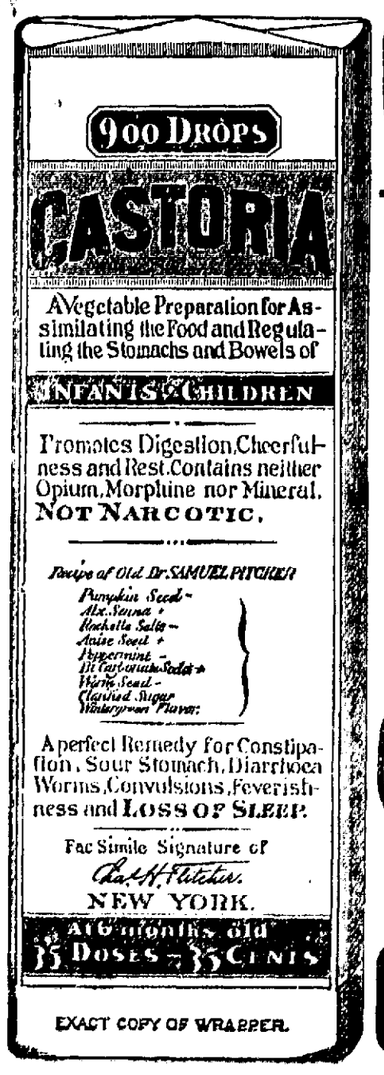
"My stomach has gone back on me," complained the fat man.

"You don't look it, old fellow," said his physician. "I never saw it in a more forward condition."

**Looked That Way.**

Markley—Well, what do you think of the cigar? My doctor especially recommended that brand to me.

Crabbe—H'm! So he wants to cure you of the tobacco habit, eh?—Philadelphia Ledger.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**FRANKLIN IN FRANCE.**

**He Was Given Many Honors and Was the Rage of the Court.**

Franklin became the fashion of the season. For the court dabbled a little in liberal ideas. So powerful was the vast impulse of free thought that then influenced the mind of France—that susceptible French mind that always answers like the wind harp to the breath of every true human aspiration—that even the highest classes caught the infection of liberalism. They lisped the momentous words Liberty and Man Rights in their dainty way, but they were only a new game for their amusement, not knowing what was to them the terrible import of those words. It became very much the accepted thing at court to rave about Franklin. The young and lovely queen, Marie Antoinette, was most winning and gracious toward him. The languid courtiers crammed natural science to talk with him. The small wits who knew a little Greek called him Solon and Aristides and Phocion, says John Hay in the Century.

It is sad to think of the utter unconsciousness of these amiable aristocrats. They never dreamed that this man Franklin was a portent and a prophet of ruin to them. He was incarnate democracy and they petted him. They never imagined that in showering their good-natured homage upon this austere republican they were sowing the wind which would ripen in an awful harvest of whirlwinds. Later, when the whirlwinds had hardly got beyond the frisky stage of their development, the queen lamented bitterly the folly of these ovations to the great democrat. There was one sagacious head that was wisely shaken over these indiscretions while they lasted. Joseph II., Emperor of Austria, brother to the queen, who was in Paris on his travels, and who was as much of a democrat as an emperor can be, when his sister rebuked his coolness on the American question, replied: "Madame, the trade I live by is that of a royalist."

Court incense could not turn the philosophic head any more than the loud acclaim of the people. When Franklin found himself the honored guest of royalty, his thoughts reverted to those faraway days of boyhood, when his father used to quote to him, in the old candy shop at Boston, the words of the wise man, "Seest thou a man diligent in his business? He shall stand before kings." The old sage heard the echo of that paternal voice resounding over half a century, and a new and strange light, as of prophecy fulfilled, illumined the immortal words. Surely, no man ever lived more diligent in his business. Surely no man ever stood, with more of the innate dignity of upright manhood, before kings.

**GRAND CANYON RICH IN ORE.**

**Copper Found in Abundance on Sides of the Great Chasm.**

The Grand canyon of the Colorado is so closely associated with the barren country of the southwest that its possession of valuable mineral resources is comparatively unknown. As a matter of fact, however, the erosion which has been continuing for centuries on such an enormous scale has brought to the surface indications of metal which are familiar to the few prospectors who have explored the canyon.

The most notable deposit of this kind thus far discovered is copper ore. A mine is now in operation on what is known as the Grand View trail, which is undoubtedly one of the richest in the world.

Little work in the way of development was undertaken until recently, when an organization known as the Canyon Copper Company exploited it on a scientific basis, with the result that ore was found which actually assays 75 per cent carbonate, being largely of the malachite variety.

The mine is situated in a formation over 1,000 feet below the rim and in one of the buttes or pillars in proximity to the southern side of the canyon. The ore lies in such a position that it can be readily reached by lateral openings and so extensive is the deposit that in places the width is no less than 500 feet.

As yet the ore is extracted almost entirely by hand labor, and while enough of it has been taken to the smelter to determine its commercial value, the bulk of it has thus far been placed in the stock pile.

Owing to the location of the mine the modern method of transportation as yet has not been employed and that followed in South American and Mexico and some other countries is in vogue—packing the ore intended for the smelter to the rim on the backs of burros.

As may be imagined, this is a very expensive process, but the richness of the ore is such that it can be procured in this manner, transported to the nearest railway, which is fourteen miles distant and hauled by rail to El Paso—615 miles—and a large profit realized from the metal obtained.

The plans of the company contemplate the construction of an aerial tramway, as a source of electric power is available from a water course which flows through one of the branch canyons into the Colorado.

The miners are practically the only human beings who permanently reside in the Grand canyon, their settlement being located near the entrance of the mine on a plateau above the gorge through which the river flows.

**Appropriate to Character.**

"Why in the world did you name your car 'The Scandal Mongery'?"

"It's always running people down."—Houston Post.


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MISS RICKA LEOPOLD, 137 Main street, Menasha, Wis., Sec'y Leiderkranz, writes:

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**Breaking It Gently.**

"Good mar-rnin', Mrs. O'Toole," said Mr. Muldoon, stopping at the good woman's door. "I wor just thinkin' how foine yez'd look in black. Sure, wid that hair and complexion av yours, yez'd have th' whole town runnin' afther yez, if yez wor a widdy an' wud wear mournin'."

"Arrah, go on wid yez!" grinned Mrs. O'Toole. "Sure ut's blarneyin' me, yez are!"

"Oi'm not. Ye'd look foine in mournin'. An' sure, ye've a chance to wear it now, f'r yer husband wor killed this mar-rnin' be an autymobile!"—Cleveland Leader.


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"You're not the man that comes around here every few weeks, are you?" she queried. "Or have you been sick?"

"I'm the same feller, ma'am," said Tuffold Knutt; "and I hain't been sick. But I've met with an accident. I fell off the pier into the lake this mornin', an' it changed my face."—Chicago Tribune.


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## LIMITED HITS STAGE AT AZUSA STATION.

### Returning Pleasure Seekers Hurled in Wreck; One Dead, One Dying.

The dead:

Mrs. Lillian Rhoden, Pasadena.

The injured:

Mrs. Dr. J. S. Hunt, Santa Monica, internal injuries, will die.

Miss Lena Rhoden, Pasadena, cuts and bruises, not serious.

Miss Henrietta Hunt, Santa Monica, badly bruised.

Charles J. Robb, Fullerton, right hip fractured.

Mrs. Charles J. Robb, Fullerton, three ribs broken.

Their child, uninjured.

Norman E. Kay, Pasadena, bruises, not serious.

Walter Lovelace, driver, contused knee.

Three mules and a horse drawing the stage from Follows Camp in the San Gabriel canyon leaped across the Santa Fe tracks at the Azusa crossing Wednesday and thrust the stage and its load of returning pleasure seekers in the path of a belated passenger train which was passing through the town without stopping. The stage was tossed fifty feet across the tracks, Mrs. Lillian Rhoden of Pasadena was killed instantly by the fall, and only the babe in the arms of Mrs. Charles Robb of Fullerton escaped unhurt.

There were eight passengers on the stage. It was driven by Walter Lovelace, an experienced driver and sturdy mountaineer. Hurrying to catch the train to Los Angeles which stops at Azusa at 4:12 p.m., he was within thirty feet of the railroad crossing before he saw train No. 3 of the Santa Fe, traveling as train No. 418, which was four hours late, approaching from the east at a brisk speed.

He promptly turned his lead team west into the wagon road that parallels the railroad track. The two leader mules turned and the mule and horse followed, but only for a few seconds could Lovelace keep them in the road. When about twelve feet down the track, the mules attempted to turn to the north and dragged the stage along the track with its wheels caught inside the rails, while the passengers screamed with terror and the driver sawed the mouths of the stubborn animals.

Suddenly the leader mules leaped across the tracks and the third mule, dragging the horse that was mated with it, made the mad jump and landed almost on the backs of the first pair. The engine was immediately upon the wagonload of people, some of whom covered their faces and shrank down, while others rose to jump. But the whole thing passed in a moment and the stage was lying a wreck with the people thrown in a heap to the right of it. All were hurled clear of wreckage and for a moment it seemed that all had escaped uninjured.

Mrs. Rhoden was the only one who did not show some sign of life and fright and her daughter thought she had fainted. The physician who arrived first found that her neck was broken and turned immediately to aid the wounded. Dr. S. A. Ellis, a railroad surgeon of San Bernardino, was on the regular train which came in six minutes later and which waited until the wounded were given temporary surgical attention and carried them to Los Angeles.

WHAT ANOTHER DRIVER SAW.

The doomed stage was immediately preceded by the Rincon stage, driven by L. A. Pollard, who witnessed the frantic efforts of Walter Lovelace to control the mules, as his own passengers were getting out at the rear of the Santa Fe depot.

We followed the mountain road, says Pollard. Of course the mules were used to taking the track to the depot that I had just come over.

When Lovelace turned them west by the track it was the only thing to do as he tried to check them at the same time and he could stop them as quickly going in that direction as straight ahead. Neither one of us was expecting this train, as it was due at 4:15 o'clock and of course the passengers were urging us to hurry up. Lovelace did the sensible thing to turn the horses that way.

I ran as soon as the crash came and he was trying to help the passengers. The mules are hard to control, or rather they have harder mouths, but nobody would have expected them to act like this after a sixteen mile drive.

LOVELACE DELIRIOUS

Lovelace was completely unstrung by the accident and his bruises. He was delirious last night and his friends declared he could not make a coherent statement.

"Considering the approach to the track," said one of the friends of Lovelace, "it is a wonder accidents have not happened there before."

Then he showed the way that the view of the Santa Fe track to the east is cut off from the mountain road. Lovelace drove in from the north. About one hundred feet from the track stands the packing house, a long building, and just beside the road at the place and paralleling the railroad track is a billboard twelve feet high and about forty feet long. It was just beyond this that Lovelace discovered the train coming. The tracks of the wheels in the roadway show that he attempted to turn just about as the end wheels of the stage passed the billboard when he received a full view toward the east.

The engineer of the train gave four short blasts just before the stage was struck, say witnesses. This was probably sixty feet from the crossing. Within 100 feet the train came to a full stop. This crossing is on the main street of Azusa and has no electric bell because the one immediately to the east has one which must have sounded before Lovelace sighted the train.

There is a great deal of sympathy for Lovelace locally, as he has the reputation of being a reliable, trustworthy man.

WHAT TRUSTEE SAYS.

Another view is expressed by Trustee Parkinson of the governing board of the city.

"The stages are always driving in at full speed to meet the train. They cannot be safe in taking that crossing at any speed, and it seems that the pitcher has gone to the well once too often."

The delight of driving up in good style at the railway station is a part of the exhilaration of the mountain camp and the drivers have pride perhaps in making the turn as stage drivers of tradition would have made it. It rounds up the mountain outing. They usually allow two hours and twenty-five minutes for the trip from Follows Camp, a distance of sixteen miles, but over rough downhill roads. It is history that the stages never miss a train.

STATEMENT OF FOLLOWS.

"The train which struck the stage was going about twenty-five miles per hour. The Azusa city ordinance limits the speed of trains to four miles per hour," said Ralph R. Follows last evening. Mr. Follows is proprietor of Follows Camp in the San Gabriel canyon, from which camp the ill-fated stage was bound. He owned the stage and animals.

"The train," said Mr. Follows, "was only about five minutes ahead of the local. For the passengers on the stage to board the local it was necessary that they should be driven across the track and on to the depot a short distance east of the crossing. It was natural that the driver should mistake the train for the local and suppose that it would stop at the station, which would give him an opportunity to drive across in front of it. There are from three to ten stages per day coming down the canyon now, carrying from twenty-five to 100 people who have to cross at that point."

Mr. Follows made a record trip from his camp to Azusa. He drove over that distance in an hour and fifteen minutes after receiving a telephone message announcing the accident.

## REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

### A Clean, Strong Ticket Assures Victory All Along the Line.

The Republican county convention, which concluded its labors at Venice Wednesday night, honored itself by placing in nomination one of the strongest, cleanest and most able tickets that has ever been offered to the Republican voters of Los Angeles county.

A single glance at the personnel of the stalwart partisans selected as standard bearers will, we think, convince everyone that victory is assured all long the line at the election to be held next November.

In many respects Venice is an ideal spot to hold a political convention and the convention just held will go down in the annals of Republicanism as one of the most enjoyable as well as one of the most remarkable in some respects ever held in Los Angeles county.

The gathering was remarkably free from acrimonious wrangling and disputes. Indeed, harmony seemed to be the keynote of the big convention from the beautiful and tuneful renditions of the musical classics by Chiafarelli's band to the dulcet tones of Bradner Lee, chairman of the convention, who surprised his friends by an exhibition of executive ability that held the immense body to its deliberations and at several crucial moments extricated it from what threatened to be embarassing, if not disastrous, entanglements.

In the organization of the convention the following local men were honored with places on important committees: J. W. Calvert, Azusa; Palmer Ashton, Pomona, committee on organization and order of business; Geo. S. Phillips, Pomona, committee on resolutions; J. H. Coolman, Covina, committee on credentials.

The complete county ticket follows, as does that of the districts and townships of local interest.

The following were elected by acclamation, having either no opposition or their opponents withdrawing:

For unexpired term, Judge of the Superior Court, Charles Monroe.

For County Clerk, C. G. Keyes.

For County Recorder, Charles L. Logan.

For District Attorney, J. D. Fredericks.

For County Assessor, Calvin Hartwell.

For County Surveyor, Ivory B. Noble.

Nominations made in its closing session at Venice Wednesday were as follows:

Superior Judges—long term—James C. Rives, W. P. James, Frederick W. Houser, Walter Bordwell, Geo. H. Hutton.

Sheriff, W. A. Hammel.

Auditor, Herbert G. Dow.

Tax Collector, W. O. Welch.

Treasurer, John N. Hunt.

Superintendent of Schools, Mark Keppel.

Public Administrator, Frank Bryson.

Coroner, Dr. R. S. Lanterman.

Supervisor, First District, C. D. Manning, Lamanda Park.

Supervisor, Third District, S. T. Eldridge, Los Angeles.

Assemblyman, 68th District, Prescott F. Cogswell, El Monte.

Rowland Township: Justice, W. P. Marshall.

Constable, I. C. Fairly.

One of the closing acts of the convention was the Supervisorial contest in the First District, C. H. Manning of Lamanda Park winning on first ballot over his three opposing candidates. C. E. Bemis of Covina 7; Chester Barton of El Monte 4; Capt. J. T. Brady of Pomona 39; C. H. Manning, Lamanda Park, 92.

The following resolution, offered by Mr. Hahn of Pasadena, was unanimously adopted:

"Resolved, that the candidate here placed in nomination for Supervisor be pledged to give his vote and influence in enforcing the resolution against all forms of gambling on race tracks and elsewhere, as recommended and endorsed by the Republican county convention now in session."

Manning's easy victory was partly due to the fact that Pomona's delegation, the home of Capt. Brady, failed to support Judge Gibbs of Pasadena for renomination, Pasadena delegates retaliating, handing Manning by a large majority.

Among the noteworthy features of the convention were the following incidents:

Tuesday just at noon W. E. Easton, a colored delegate, made an emphatic protest against what he termed unjust discrimination, saying that the restaurants and hotels of Venice refused to feed colored men. Mr. Hunter, manager of the Hutton candidacy for Judge, relieved an ugly situation and captured the solid negro delegation by inviting them to be the guests of the Santa Monica Club.

The old time oratory was conspicuous by its absence. The order was given to cut it out, but the political spellbinders were there and almost bursting under the pressure of pent up speeches. Several of these broke out at unexpected places; one old timer tried hard to make a nomination speech but failed miserably after two attempts when he was called to order by the chair and howled down by the delegates. Ex Senator Dorsey Patton broke the rule and made an impassioned plea for what he termed patriotic effervescence, and coming just as it did, at the time when the convention was keyed up to the highest tension on Billy Hammell's terrific fight to land the nomination for Sheriff, he struck a responsive chord and the hitherto decorous body resolved itself into one mass of howling, cheering, screaming humanity.

It was a great convention great in numbers, deliberations and results, and great will be the victory that will crown the selected standard bearers at the fall election.

LOCAL INCIDENTS.

The selection of a County Central Committeeman in the Covina City precinct developed an amusing contest, Austin Warner and C. E. Bemis both seeking the honors. It resulted in the selection by the delegation of A. R. Evans. The choice was a wise one, Mr. Evans being a man who has kept himself entirely free in the past from factional fights and as such should prove acceptable to all. That it is a disappointment to Mr. Warner cannot be denied as he labored most perseveringly for the past six weeks to secure a delegation that would tender him the bouquet.

Alex Carnahan was the choice of the delegates of the Covina country precinct for committeeman.

W. P. Marshall for Justice and I. C. Fairly for Constable for Rowland township were announced as the unanimous choice of the delegtion, although some little opposition developed at first from one of the outside delegates to Mr. Marshall.

The support which Covina's candidate for Supervisor, Mr. C. E. Bemis, received from the Azusa and Glendora delegations is appreciated by local Republicans, and the day perhaps is not far off when this section will be able to reciprocate for favors received.

One of the surprises of the convention was the nomination of Dr. R. S. Lanterman for the office of Coroner. This is of local interest, Dr. Lanterman being the brother of Mrs. L. M. La Fetra of Glendora.

The nomination of John M. Hunt for County Treasurer is also a popular choice in these parts where John has many friends who extend him their congratulations.

Covina was honored in the convention by the selection of J. H. Coolman as a member of one of the principal committees. This gentleman was also selected as one of the tellers in the 68th Assembly District Convention.

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### Notice of Hearing of Petition for Probate of Will.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles. In the matter of the estate of Stephen C. Headley, sometimes known as S. C. Headley, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the petition of Anna M. Headley for the probate of the will of Stephen C. Headley, sometimes known as S. C. Headley, deceased, and for the issuance of letters testamentary thereon to Anna M. Headley will be heard at 10 o'clock a. m. on the 5th day of September, 1906, at the court room of Department 2 of the Superior Court of Los Angeles County, California.

C. G. Keyes, County Clerk,
by W. L. Warren, Deputy.

R. B. Bidwell, Glendora, Cal., attorney for petitioner.

### Notice of Sale of Real Estate at Private Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that in pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of the County of San Luis Obispo, State of California, made on the 1st day of August, 1906, in the matter of the estate of Charles E. Eastman, deceased, the undersigned, the administrator of the said estate, will on or after August 29th, 1906, sell at private sale to the highest bidder, for cash, gold coin of the United States, and subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, all the right, title and interest and estate of the said Charles E. Eastman, at the time of his death, and all the right, title and interest that the said estate has, by operation of law or otherwise, acquired other than or in addition to that of the said Charles E. Eastman at the time of his death, in and to that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate in the Rancho Los Alamitos, Los Angeles County, State of California, described as follows, to-wit: Being lot No. 2 in Block D of a re-subdivision of portions of Alamitos Tract and Alamitos Beach Townsite as surveyed in April, 1894, by Will F. Sweeney, and a map of which re-subdivision is recorded in the records of Los Angeles County, California, in the office of the County Recorder of said county, in Book 43 of Miscellaneous Records, page nine (9), to which said map and notes explanatory thereof, as subsequently recorded, reference is hereby made for a more particular description, and the same is made a part hereof. Said Lot No. 2 in Block D is estimated to contain five and 00-100 (5) acres; acreage being calculated centers of all streets and alleys.

Terms and conditions of sale: cash, gold coin of the United States, ten per cent of purchase money payable at the time of sale and balance on confirmation of sale by said Superior Court. Bids for said property will be received at B. F. Eastman's residence, 1556 Mill street, in the City of San Luis Obispo, California.

B. F. EASTMAN,
Administrator of the estate of Charles E. Eastman, deceased.
Dated August, 1906.

### National Baptist Convention.

The National Baptist Convention will convene in Los Angeles, Sept. 16, 1906. For this occasion the Santa Fe will sell tickets from the East to Los Angeles and San Francisco at half rates. Write to your friends. tf

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### NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Covina High Land Citrus Union will be held on Monday, August 27, at 10 a. m., at the office of the corporation in the City of Covina, for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

G. N. ATWOOD,
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## PASSING OF A PIONEER.

### Clinton Heath, Prominent in Republican Politics, Dies on His 73rd Birthday.

The death of Clinton Heath, which occurred at his home in Irwindale on Thursday evening, removes one of the pioneers of this county, and one who has done his full share towards its wonderful development.

For several years the deceased has been much afflicted, having had to have one of his arms amputated on account of cancer. Through it all, however, he has borne his sufferings with much fortitude, and was quite active until several weeks ago when he was taken ill with his last fatal illness, and from the first the medical attendant entertained little hope for his recovery.

The funeral will occur this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Covina Christian Church, of which he was a devoted member, the Rev. J. W. Utter, pastor, conducting the service. At the grave the Masons will take charge. The pall bearers will be T. A. McCormick, F. M. Chapman, Geo. T. Brown, T. F. Griswold, Warren Kellar and L. D. Winder.

Clinton Heath's death is felt as a personal loss to many outside of the family circle. Of kindly disposition, he was a man that created warm friendships and of him it can be truly said he never wronged his fellowman. The many acts of personal kindness and assistance that he has rendered to those in need will never be known. To the writer his death is a deep personal loss and his kindly consideration and almost parental solicitation for our welfare will linger many years in our memory. He was a man among thousands.

Born August 23, 1833, in West Virginia, he crossed the plains to California by ox team in 1853, his companion being Senator McComas, now of Pomona. He remained only a short time in California, returning east to Missouri in 1855, when he married Miss Susan Searcy of Platt county. To them were born twelve children, three of whom died in infancy, four daughters and five sons surviving, Mrs. J. C. Deck, L. W. Heath and H. G. Heath of Pomona; J. W. Heath, Mrs. Coltrin, Mrs. Mathew Matney and Miss Ethel Heath of Covina.

In 1874 Mr. and Mrs. Heath and family moved from Missouri to Compton, California, where they lived for twelve years, moving to Pomona in 1886, and twelve years later Mr. Heath purchased the property and took up his residence at Irwindale.

He took an active part in politics and was a delegate at fourteen conventions, standing at all times for clean politics and clean men. The day before his death he expressed with considerable feeling his hearty approval of the work done by the Venice convention in nominating by acclamation J. D. Fredericks as district attorney of the county. "Fredericks is a clean man," were almost his last words.

### Spoiled Sport Saved Deer.

While on a recent camping trip in the San Gabriel canyon, Miss Ellen Beach Yaw was the means of saving the lives of two beautiful deer. Miss Yaw had not yet arisen one early morning and was watching a most beautiful sunrise, when attracted by a slight noise nearby, she saw two lovely deer taking their morning drink at the brook. She called the attention of her sister, Mrs. Ben F. Thorpe, to the deer, and they were both greatly excited to see two hunters coming up the canyon with rifles. Miss Yaw at once commenced singing some of her clear, sweet notes, which gave the deer sufficient warning to escape up the steep mountain side before the hunters saw them. Miss Yaw is a great lover of animals and birds, horses and dogs are her especial friends and pets. Only recently she entered complaints against some boys for shooting song birds near her home. Most every specie of bird is protected by law and Miss Yaw will spare no pains or expense to see that her birds are protected.

## Covina High and Grammar Schools to Open September 17th. List of Teachers.

The Covina schools will open for the coming year on Monday, September 17th. Below we publish the entire list of officers and teachers for the ensuing term.

Board of trustees: J. H. Coolman, president; J. D. Reed, M. D., clerk: L. L. Rutekin.

Teachers, High School: A. Harvey Collins, principal, history; Miss Effie Lemonds, English and French; Miss M. Evangeline Griswold, mathematics; Miss Minnie Moskowitz, Latin, German and drawing; Miss Lillie E. V. Lloyd, Greek and Latin; Mr. W. G. Gladfelter, chemistry, physics and botany; Miss Constance F. Manning, commercial work and Spanish.

Grammar School teachers: A. Harvey Collins, supervising principal; Mrs. Carrie A. Miller, vice-principal, eighth grade and music; Miss Harriet M. Davis, seventh grade; Miss Olive L. Taylor, sixth grade; Miss Dora A. Blanchard, fifth grade; Miss Widney, fourth grade; Miss Bertha Crabb, third grade; Miss Georgia Garrison, second grade; Miss Virginia Garrison, first grade.

Janitor, High and Grammar Schools, A. T. Sigstad.

The positions of drawing teacher and of physical culture teacher have not yet been filled. The board are, however, in communication with several well recommended teachers concerning the drawing.

Examinations for those who are delinquent in one or more subjects will be given on Friday, September 14, 1906. Those who wish to avail themselves of this opportunity to make up delinquencies should present themselves at that time. Lists of the required books will be published as soon as they can be prepared.

Supervising principal Collins may be found in his office every day, either in the morning or the afternoon.

### Farmers' Club Holds Meeting.

The regular monthly meeting of the Covina Valley Farmers' Club held last Saturday was entertained by Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Mussey at the residence of R. J. Clizbe.

The club was favored with a piano solo by Miss Vyvyenne Faulder, which was followed by the reading of the minutes of the last meeting. Mr. C. E. Bemis then took up the topic of the day and gave a very interesting talk on the black, red and purple scale and their parasites.

This was followed by a short program, consisting of a vocal solo by Miss Evelyn Fletcher, a reading by Mrs. J. D. Reed, and a duet by the Misses Muriel and Lorene Bemis.

J. L. Matthews was voted an honorary member of the club.

The subject for the next meeting, to be held on the third Saturday in September, was announced as cover crops. The place of meeting will be announced later.

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## Murray-Wilkins.

An interesting wedding took place in Holy Trinity Church on Tuesday last at high noon, when Miss Beatrice Mary Wilkins, the charming and accomplished daughter of Mrs. Wilkins of Covina and the late Rev. John Wilkins, rector of St. Bede's, Gateshead, England, was united to Mr. William E. Murray, a Los Angeles inventor of noted Scotch family. The ceremony was performed by the rector, the Rev. A. Fletcher. The bride entered the church on the arm of her brother, A. J. Wilkins of Ocean Park, to the strains of the Lohengrin wedding march, played by Miss Vaughn, and looked lovely in a grey princess reception gown with picture hat to match. Miss Beatrice Wilkins of Ocean Park, the maid of honor, was simply attired in white, and the handsome mother of the bride, in grey silk, looked very happy, as all her children were present except the Rev. Harold Wilkins of Yorkshire, England. Mr. A. V. D'Arcy of New York acted as best man.

After the ceremony lunch was served by the sisters of the bride, Mrs. Rosa C. Clarke, Mrs. F. W. Sherwood, Mrs. W. H. Matthews of Catalina, and Mrs. John Brunjes, at the home of the first mentioned, covers being laid for twenty-two.

The happy couple left on the 3:30 train for a short wedding trip to "parts unknown," to be followed later by a tour of the East and Europe.

The bride was the recipient of many handsome presents.

The bride is a gifted lady, a young woman of rare sweetness, who for the past five years has resided in Los Angeles, where she has a host of friends. Equally popular is the groom, who is the inventor of a device for harbor and coast defense which it is expected will revolutionize modern warfare. Negotiations are now in progress for the sale of his device to the United States government for several million dollars.

### Orange Ranch Sold.

Waldo L. Smith, through the agency of L. M. Pratt of Los Angeles, has purchased a 23 acre orange and lemon grove located between Covina and Glendora. The property is located on Gladstone avenue just west of Grand avenue, and has about 5 acres planted to Eureka lemon trees 10 years old, 10 acres in navels, mostly 10 years old, balance young Valencia trees. The grove was owned by a non-resident and has not been properly taken care of. For this reason it was sold for a very low figure; consideration $8500. Mr. Smith has recently come to California from Nebraska. With his family he will make his home on the property just acquired.

### It Was a Surprise.

Mr. John W. Thomas of the Covina Furniture Company, and Mrs. Olive Scott of West Badillo street surprised their many friends on Saturday last by quietly slipping off to Los Angeles and being joined in holy wedlock by the Rev. Mr. Ross of that city.

The bride, a charming widow, is the daughter of Mrs. C. A. Daniels, and a sister of the Daniels brothers of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas have a host of friends and the happy couple are being showered with congratulations.

### Leave for Honolulu.

Members of the Southern California Editorial Association leave on Thursday next on a trip to Honolulu. It is the intention of the editor and his wife to join the party and we have made all arrangements to that end. We are leaving our business affairs in competent hands and our readers can depend upon every courtesy being shown them during our absence. All orders for printing will also receive prompt attention.

### Notice.

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**THE COVINA ARGUS**

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A dressmaker knows a lot about the seamy side of life.

It's an easy matter to sympathize with the poor when your pockets are empty.

He who knocks and runs away may live to become an expert hammer wielder.

A social call isn't synonymous with what women call each other when they are angry.

"Russia is on the verge of a revolution." If we understand it, this is worse than "facing a crisis."

The trusts have one little hope. The men who are fighting them may want to take a vacation after a while.

When a man begins to jeer at reform it is a pretty safe indication that he has a pain in his head, instead of in his stomach.

If some of the shots now being fired at the peekaboo shirtwaist should make more holes in that article it would be scandalous.

Some hungry persons would rather take the risk of getting a little dirt with their ham and eggs than rely upon breakfast foods.

A Philadelphia doctor watched an operation upon himself with much satisfaction, knowing that professional courtesy would accept no fee.

The will of Michael Davitt is characteristic of the man. A good fighter, he never kept malice, or was willing to do an injustice to an enemy.

Dr. Erastus Holt of Portland approves the Dr. Osler theory minus 15 years of the 40-year limit. Thus are we theorized into a world of old men at 30.

It is a premature announcement that Mr. Rockefeller is considering the purchase of Europe. The only inducement to such a transaction would be a special rebate.

Three boys who ran away from New York were found in Pittsburg. They had probably made up their minds to become millionaires and get their names in the papers.

If a woman should not be hanged, then neither should a man. In matters of this kind gallantry should cut no figure. A man's life is worth as much or as little as a woman's.

"What Should a Boy Spend at College?" asks Harper's Weekly. The question is one for the "old man" to wrestle with. The boy will spend every cent of his allowance, no matter what it is, and write for more.

A Connecticut preacher has declared that Adam was not the first man. The Connecticut gentleman, it will be noticed, has taken the precaution to wait until there would be absolutely no danger of Adam's bringing witnesses to substantiate his claim.

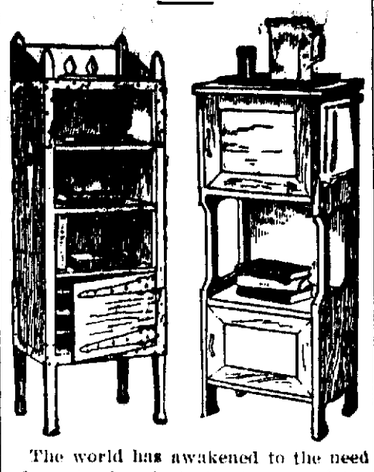
Why does a dog hang out his tongue? is the question now interesting some of the German scientists. When this mighty problem is settled, may we request the learned professors to turn their attention to discovering why a dog wags his tail? With these two extremes scientifically understood, the remainder of the canine problem will be easy.

As a condensed nugget of irreconcilable inconsistencies the United States government comes pathetically near wearing the blue ribbon; not that its incongruous inconsistencies are to be here enumerated—for neither time, space, paper nor ink suffice. But just to mention one of the many: Our government requires every vessel sailing under the American flag to be manned by licensed officers, and yet its own vessels are not commanded by licensed seamen. In many instances subordinate officers are licensed and know much more about seamanship than "the man on the bridge." If licensed seamen are best for the merchant marine, why not for the navy, the revenue service and the geodetic survey.

The public debt of France is $6,000,000,000, all held at home. In addition, the French people own foreign securities to the stupendous aggregate of $15,000,000,000, and it is further estimated that an equal amount is placed in home securities. These figures may be exaggerated—all but those representing the public debt—but they illustrate the virtue there is in thrift, which is also a German usage. There is no Rockefeller, no Carnegie, in France, though there may be a lesser Russell Sage. The French people do not speculate; they save. They do not get rich at a hop, skip and jump; they accumulate by slow degrees—they economize. The crime of crimes in rural France is waste, and France would subsist on what America throws away. Within the past year there have rotted on American farms enough machinery and utensils to supply agricultural France the next quarter of a century.

The question of school hygiene, and especially of overwork on the part of the pupils, has received considerable attention of late. To the useful discussion of this subject Dr. G. Woodruff Johnston makes a valuable contribution in the North American Review. He deals with the object of school life and present methods of study on the health of the pupils, and while the American data on the subject are few and superficial, as far as they go they support conclusions reached in Europe by systematic inquirers. Whenever and wherever such an investigation has been attempted, a surprising amount of ill health among school children has been reported. Moreover, "though varying in degree, from slight functional disturbances to actual illness, the same morbid conditions were found" in every place and every time. There are many "school diseases," the most typical of them, perhaps, being headache. This disease may be due to anaemia, eye strain, bad ventilation, nerve exhaustion, fatigue and other causes. From 40 to 50 per cent of all school children suffer from it, and it is habitual, girls, however, being affected more than boys. The number of scholars suffering from habitual headache increases step by step and grade by grade with advancement through school, and significantly enough, the headaches grow more frequent and severe as the term progresses, disappear in the holidays and reappear with the next term. Among other school diseases are sleeplessness, palpitation, irritability, mental weariness, twitching and instability in posture and balance. The diseases affecting the nervous system, according to Dr. Johnston, are of greatest interest to Americans, for "we know that our heredity, ideas, climate, environment and habits of life predispose to such affections." Now, much can be done to prevent disease among school children by attending to light and ventilation, the shape and height of desks and the like, and food is also an important factor. It appears, however, that "fatigue is the determining cause of many diseases and aggravates most or all of them." Fatigue, then, is the evil to attack. Overwork must be avoided in all grades, and, recreation and exercise encouraged. The article concludes with these words: "The remedy * * * lies not in the almost professional athleticism which is now the vogue, for in this is evident that we are merely substituting one form of fatigue for another no less injurious, but rather in a completer apprehension of the school child as a young animal at work and play, and a rational adaptation of work and play to his capacities and needs." This is exactly what leading educators have been saying of late, and the problem is worthy of the most careful consideration.

## ART IN FURNITURE.



The world has awakened to the need of greater beauty in the home, and the revival of decorative arts and crafts, under the enthusiasm of William Morris and John Ruskin, has been an incentive to inventive minds to create furnishings of both beauty and utility. It should be borne in mind that excessive ornamentation or decoration in a home is indicative of poor taste, and poor taste, unfortunately, has too often entailed a wasteful expenditure that has added nothing to ease and comfort, which are the things to be desired.

Of all the handicrafts, probably that of the woodworker stands first in importance, not only because of more general utility, but for the reason that it forms the basis of many other arts and crafts.

The arts and crafts furniture combines unique design with usability and clever arrangement. The little economies of space which are shown in this popular furniture are in reality labor-saving devices.—Montreal Star.

### Insurance of Varied Kinds.

"How many kinds of insurance are there?" asks a correspondent. By a coincidence we received in the same mail the business card of an enterprising local insurance agency in a western city which claims to have on sale "all kinds of insurance and bonds." Here is the western agency's list: Fire, life, safe, rents, theft, credit, patent, marine, tornado, accident, burglary, sprinkler, lightning, plate glass, transportation, tourists' baggage, bank and messenger robbery, tailors' and furniture floaters', physicians' and druggists' liability, travelers' samples, fidelity, official, guaranteed attorney's department, contract, judicial and court bonds, teams, health, postal, elevator, casualty, flywheel, leasehold, automobile, contingent, steam boiler, landlords' liability, use and occupancy, employers' liability, workmen's collective, liquor dealers' license, general liability, holdup insurance, bank accounts.—Insurance Press.

### Its Classification.

"How would you classify the work of playing church music?"

"I would put it under the head of organized labor."—Baltimore American.

## BOOKS.

When sorrow sets around thy wayward path
And many troubles follow in her train;
When dire mischance it seems will never wane,
And life for thee no sort of pleasure hath;
When friendship proves as frail as any lath,
Snaps in a trice and leaves the dull, slow pain—
The aching heart that ne'er may hope again—
And drear despair seems life's sole aftermath,
There is an outlet from thy dreary creed;
There is a pasture on which thou may'st feed;
There is a never-failing friend at hand.
Turn to thy shelves and choose a goodly tome,
A mighty mind of ancient Greece or Rome,
Perchance a bard of thy own native land.
Then may'st thou leave all trouble far behind,
And soar unto the regions of the blest;
Then be thy body, mind and soul at rest,
Oblivious to the tempest and the wind
That howls around the shipwreck of thy mind.
For, by the thraldom of that tome possessed,
Despair hath lost its potence to molest,
And not an inlet can thy troubles find.
Oh, blessings be on every poet head!
With wreaths of joy may each be garlanded
And happiness forever be thy meed!
Who for us men hath wrought so great a joy,
Devoid of all adulterate alloy—
A genuine soil whereon the soul may feed.
—Cyril M. Drew.

## THE CASE OF OLIVIA.

MR. ENDICOTT looked toward the street, and a frown gathered on his face. Mrs. Endicott's glance followed his to where Olivia stood at the end of the gravel walk, talking to a young man.

"We'll have to put a stop to that business," said Mr. Endicott severely. "That fellow!" he added contemptuously. "A cheap family and a cheap specimen of it."

"Don't say anything when she comes in," urged Mrs. Endicott anxiously as the girl came toward the house. "It

"THE RIDE WAS SO PLEASANT."

would only make matters worse. I have a plan, and I'll tell you about it when we can be alone."

Olivia came in flushed and smiling, her eyes bright. She seemed happy, but did not talk much, and helped her mother as usual about getting tea. That evening, when the house was still, the father and mother sat talking.

"What are you going to do about it?" asked Mr. Endicott. "Forbid his coming around here? or send her off somewhere?"

"Neither," said his wife. "I've given a great deal of thought and study to the question, and I think I see how to deal with it in the simplest and most natural way. You see it has been going on only a little while, and Liv not actually become serious. She cannot really care for him, for he is not our kind at all. He has no education, and he is not interested in the same things she is, but don't you see, dear, he is the only man she sees very much of, and naturally his attentions flatter her and she thinks she likes him. If it goes on she will get the idea firmly fixed in her mind that he is the only one in the world for her, and if we waited too long it would be impossible to change her opinion, and you know such affairs thrive on opposition."

"But what is your remedy?" Mr. Endicott spoke a little impatiently. "She's out of school now, and doesn't have so much to take up her mind. I don't see how we are going to keep her from getting interested in any Peter Goodard that happens along."

"My idea is that if a girl sees more or less of a good many men, she isn't nearly as likely to make a fool of herself over one. So I've been thinking that you could let Olivia do all the farm errands at the village. She will see people then, and it will occupy her mind and get it off of that young man, and besides, it will relieve you of some care."

"We'll try it," said Mr. Endicott, dubiously, "but I am afraid it is too simple a remedy."

The next morning at the breakfast table, Mr. Endicott said in a casual way, "Do you suppose you could drive Dolly over to Greensboro to Mr. Torrey's to have her shod?"

"Why, of course I could," said Olivia, brightening. "I'd like to, it's such a lovely morning."

"Well, help mother do the dishes and I'll have the horse ready for you."

The dishes were done in quick time, and Olivia drove off down the street. "You can wait in the blacksmith shop and learn how to shoe horses yourself," her father called after her.

"Why did you send her way over to Greensboro?" his wife questioned.

"Well, Torrey is an extra nice fellow and he's bright and intelligent. Besides, he doesn't have the crowd hanging around that the other blacksmith does. He'll be pleasant, and talk to her, and give her something to think about."

When Olivia came home she could hardly wait to get into the house to tell her mother of her experiences. "I had a lovely time," she said eagerly. "The ride was so pleasant, and Dolly went good. Then when I got to Mr. Torrey's I told him who I was and he was ever so nice. I sat down on a nail keg and watched him work, and he told me about the best way to shoe a horse. After he got the shoes fitted, his man nailed them on and finished the hoofs off, and while he was doing that, Mr. Torrey showed me his upsetting machine, that he sets tires with, you know. Instead of cutting a piece out of a tire they heat it red hot and put it into the machine and squeeze it together, so as to make it smaller. And he gave quite a lecture about the right heat for welding, and showed me how the temper runs out on a piece of steel, and that when it is just such a color it must be put in the water to stop it, so it won't be too hard and break, or too soft and get dull right off. It was a pick-ax he was sharpening. He had a whole lot of picks to sharpen; they are the ones the Italians are using to dig for the town water, and the town pays him for the work. I was really sorry when I had to come away, he talked so interestingly. I think he's as nice as he can be."

Mr. Endicott was thinking of buying a cream separator, and the next day he sent Olivia to a farm six miles away to see a separator that was in use there. She came home full of enthusiasm. "I got there just in time to see it run," she said; "and the man was real kind and told me all about how it worked, and took it to pieces and showed me how he washed it. Then he showed me the engine that runs it, and the silos where they have their silage, and the cows—oh, lovely cows, nearly a hundred of them." And so she ran on, talking of nothing else all day but the things she had seen.

It was a busy time for Olivia, and at the end of a fortnight she had added quite a number of men to her list of acquaintances. There was the grocer—her father began trading at a different store because the proprietor was a man of intelligence and high character—who talked with her about topics of the day; the bank cashier, who had a pleasant word for her; the grain dealer, who showed her all over his buildings and explained the machinery and the new electric motor that ran it. Everyone knew her father, and everyone she met seemed pleased to see her and glad to spend time to tell her about his work, in which she took a lively interest. She also had an errand at the lawyer's and at the doctor's, so she had a look at the professional world.

Olivia laughed as she reviewed the two weeks. "I don't know, mother, which I'd rather be if I were a man—a blacksmith, a farmer, a business man, a banker, doctor, lawyer, electrician, but I think," and she laughed again, "that I'd do expressing, as I have been doing, and go errands that will take me to all these various places and give me a chance to talk with all sorts and conditions of men."

"What do you think?" asked Mrs. Endicott of Mr. Endicott, at about this time.

"I think your plan has worked to a charm," he said. "She seems so happy and interested in everything. And besides all that, you've no idea what a help she is to me. She's got a level head and does the errands as well as I could, and it seems to me I have twice as much time to work on the farm as I had before. It is surprising how many errands there are to be done. I'm greatly pleased with the plan, and I guess we won't have to worry about that young sprig any more."

"I don't think we will," said Mrs. Endicott. "What do you think she said about him the other day? We saw him going by, and she stepped back from the window so he wouldn't see her. 'It's too bad about him,' she said. 'I used to think he was a pleasant boy, but within a few days I've found out that he goes around with a class of fellows that are not very nice. I saw him one day and he was acting like a regular rowdy.' She didn't say anything for awhile and then she went on, coloring up a little: 'Since I've seen so many pleasant people, men who are bright and smart and amount to something in the world, I've changed my standards of what a young fellow ought to be.' Oh, John! I was thankful when I heard her say that."

Mr. Endicott took his wife's hand in his and gave it a squeeze, looking at her admiringly. "You've got a great head, my dear, and I'm proud of you," he said.—Rural New Yorker.

### Painted Too Realistic.

Mrs. Gaswell—Is your niece still doing art work?

Mrs. Suddenslymer—Yes, indeed. The other day she painted a bunch of goldenrod so lifelike and natural that it gives me the hay fever every time I look at it.—Cleveland Leader.

### Ostrich Farming Profitable.

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### Kaisers, Two for Five.

Considering how old the picture post card fad is, and how brash is the German Emperor and anxious to be first in everything, it is queer that they did not get together long before now. But together they are at last, though it be somewhat behind the schedule time. Needless to say, too, the Emperor is doing his best to make up for lost time. He has thrown himself into the new hobby with characteristic energy, and numerous letters, written by Emperor William's direction, are sent broadcast over Germany, marked "Business of State," to various officials.

Whatever hour of the day or night that envelopes so marked are received at their destination, they have to be delivered without delay. Thus officials are often aroused from their peaceful slumber to receive the imperial letter—which simply conveys a greeting and a demand for a picture postcard to be sent to his Majesty "By return mail."—Boston Transcript.

### The Refreshment of Change.

A charming old lady who was socially inclined, but who was kept rather closely at home by the pressure of many cares, used sometimes to exclaim, "I do just love to drink out of somebody else's teacups!"

A fitting pendant to this agreeable anecdote is another of a little girl whose supper invariably consisted of bread and butter, milk and apple sauce—a monotonous diet, of which she frequently complained.

One day she was asked out to supper at a neighbor's. At a late hour the hostess found that no apple sauce had been prepared for the little guest, so she sent one of the maid's to the child's home for a supply.

The little girl, on returning to her mother, was enthusiastic about the delightful visit, and particularly about the "beautiful supper," when she had been allowed to pour milk and cream for herself from the daintiest little pitchers.

"And oh, such good apple sauce, mamma, the best I ever tasted!"

### Palmistry Vindicated.

The fair amateur palmist looked at the left hand of the sweet young girl long and earnestly.

Breathlessly she waited for the palmist's next words.

"Ah! I see by your hand that you are engaged to be married," said the palmist.

"How wonderful!" exclaimed the bride-to-be.

"And," continued the reader of the future and the past, in a more cutting tone, "I see that you are engaged to Mr. Loony."

"Oh, it's perfectly extraordinary!" burst out the blushing girl. "How could you know that?"

"By my long study of the science," was the reply.

"But surely the lines in my hand cannot tell you the na——"

"Who said anything about lines?" replied the prophetic one, with withering scorn. "You are wearing the engagement ring I returned him three weeks ago!"—Answers.

### Poor Father.

Johnnie—Pa, equine is a horse, isn't it?

Father—Yes.

Johnnie—And cow is a kind of an ox, isn't it?

Father—Yes, a sort of an ox.

Johnnie—Then what is an equinox?—Philadelphia Record.

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Stranger—I'll be glad to recommend it, but none of it for me, thank you.

Druggist—Beg pardon, but I don't quite understand what——

Stranger (interrupting)—Oh, that's all right. I'm an undertaker.—Columbus Dispatch.

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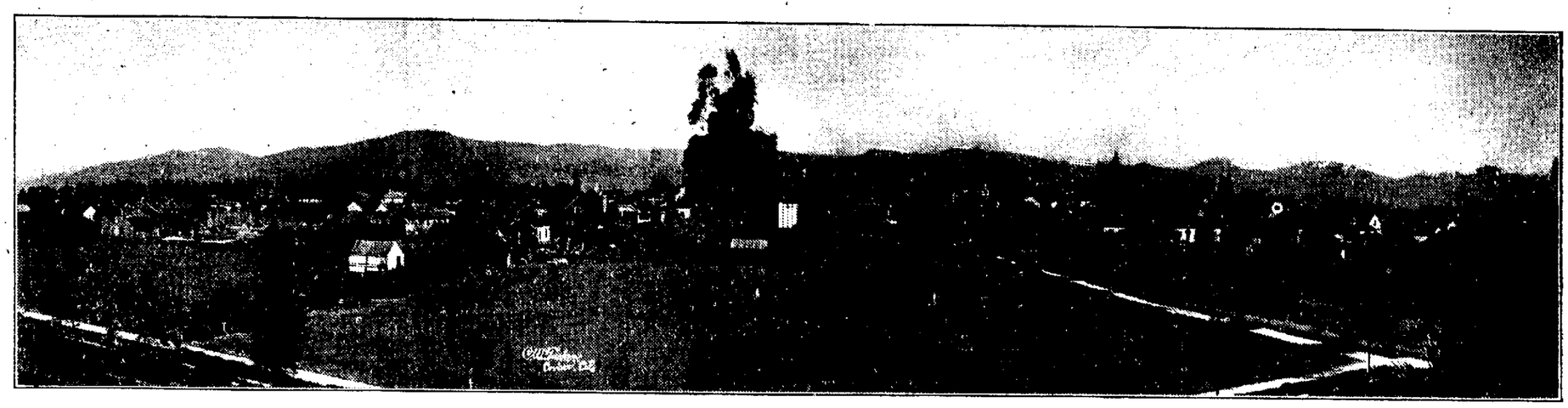

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## EGYPT USES MOTOR PLOWS.

**Cattle for Traction Not Plentiful in Land of the Pyramids.**

Owing to the lack of cattle for traction in Egypt there has been a considerable development in the use of agricultural steam engines—already employed for a long time on the khedivial estates and on some other extensive properties—as well as an increase in trials of various new patterns of light motor plows. In importing steam plows or motor plows two different demands have to be distinguished and met by entirely different forms of machine.

On the one hand, there is the requirement of the proprietor of large farms, which is a steam plow of powerful and solid construction, capable of performing in a limited time a large amount of work, both as regards depth of plowing and area covered. Hence the weight and dimensions of the engine and the price of the plow complete are not the most important considerations provided that the relation between the cost of working and the work done is satisfactory.

The second kind of mechanical plow should be chiefly appropriate to the needs of the small landowner and capable of being used contingently on the small tenant farms or for lesser crops cultivated in remote districts. From this standpoint the chief requisites in these machines are lightness and reduced dimensions, which, however, should not prevent a considerable amount of work being performed and ease of manipulation. As one may easily understand, the working capacity of such a plow can not be compared with that of the heavy plows first mentioned, but the article will answer the purpose if it gives slightly better results than can be obtained with oxen and if its working cost is as far as possible no greater.

In many districts in Egypt steam plows are operated by native laborers, supervised only occasionally by a European mechanic. These who are acquainted with the negligent, clumsy and violent fashion in which all new machinery is treated by the native in the country districts will realize how much importance is attached to solidity of construction in these machines. Eventually the importation of plows operated by alcohol motors and capable of heavy work will be possible, for alcohol is manufactured on a large scale in the neighborhood of Cairo and spirit suitable for motors should in the future be obtainable at a low price. At present prices of alcohol in Egypt, however, the use of an alcohol motor plow would hardly prove any cheaper than a steam plow using coal.

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Nine-tenths of the peasants in Russia live in huts without floors, and too low for a tall man to stand in.

## NO GRAFT IN MANCHESTER.

**Activities of English City Conducted Like a Private Business.**

In Manchester there is no spoils system, there is no observable graft, there are no bosses. The managers of the different departments of the city government are permanent officials who have, in most cases, worked their way up through the department. Thus, to the general manager of the tramways department, J. M. McElroy, the business of managing Manchester tramways is the business of his life. There is no graft in Mr. McElroy's department, because he is held strictly accountable for the expenditures of his department,—not loosely, but strictly accountable. There is not even "honest" graft, for a reason which lies at the root of good government. The obvious reason, which lies on the surface where any one can see it, is the fact that Manchester has been developing and perfecting the idea of representative government, while Newark, New York, Chicago, St. Louis and Pittsburg have, little by little, year by year, been losing their hold on the idea of representative government.

In order to work effectively, representative government must be simple in its outlines. A certain number of men are chosen by their fellow citizens to carry on the organization of a cooperating community. In theory, every voter has a hand in the government. In fact, the town-meeting idea is so cumbersome as to be impossible in the management of a large city. So the city is divided into districts; and each district delegates its governing power for a time to certain individuals, who are, in return, held to account for their acts as parties to the government. These delegates, or representatives of the people, meet and organize in order to carry on the business of being a city. In Manchester, if you brush aside the surface complication, that is all there is to it. The business which these representatives carry on is not simple in detail, but it is quite simple in outline. It has been found that the business of conveying citizens about the streets and the business of supplying them wth light and water, and with a place to sleep after death, if transferred to private corporations, as we have done it in America, invariably results in a greedy exploitation of the people. This, since the people control the government, it has been thought wise to avoid. Consequently, the representatives of the people, organized as a city council, conduct, for the people, those utilities which have come to be regarded as the secondary necessaries of life.—Success Magazine.

**The Operatic Kind.**

"Why do they say 'the even tenor?'"

"Well, why shouldn't they?"

"Most tenors are extremely odd."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

## DIAMONDS OUT OF SPACE.

**Samples Mined on Earth Only Fragments of Immense Meteorites.**

The only real perfect diamonds which are to be found on this globe are those which fall from the sky in meteorites; all diamonds which are mined in the diamond fields of the world are only fragments of gems.

That is a startling statement, but a still more startling one is that all the diamonds to be found on this planet have fallen on the earth from the skies and have not, as most persons suppose, been produced here like coal and other mineral products.

Yet this is the latest scientific assertion with regard to the world's stock of the precious stones. The whole stock of the Kimberly mines, with their unknown resources, and all the gems of this character to be found in any part of the planet—all have fallen from space at some time or other.

Somewhere in the illimitable distance there is a vast diamond factory, the only place where perfect gems are produced. The first piece of evidence is that the whole of the rock in which the Kimberly gems are found is similar to nothing else on earth; it has been given a distinguishing name (kimberly) and it corresponds exactly with the matter of which meteorites are composed.

In plain language, the whole of that vast mass of rock fell on earth from the skies at some late period of the world's formation. This is rather staggering, but it must be remembered that there is a mountain in Arizona which is acknowledged by all scientists to be a meteoric mountain. And diamonds are being found at that spot.

Diamonds are found practically in superficial layers of the earth's crust; that is another proof of their celestial origin. Further, the diamond crystals are formed like no others that are of earthly origin; this is regarded as a strong proof that they fell from above. It is curious that earthly diamonds are not perfect and that some of them when first brought from Kimberly mines and exposed to the air explode and crack into several pieces. Now the stones which come down in meteorites also explode when they are taken from the protecting mass which covers them completely. This is due to the peculiar conditions which prevail where the stones are produced and these conditions cannot prevail on the earth as the oxygen prevents them.

In order to make a diamond it is necessary that the constituents should be very hot and then cooled quite suddenly; nothing else will account for the peculiar shape of the crystals and the general formation of the gem.

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It is thought that the game of whist was first played in the time of King Henry VIII. of England.

## WOMEN RULE THIS COUNTRY.

**Stamp of the Feminine Mind Seen on Everything American.**

In the United States there are at least 1,000,000 more men than women and only one-tenth of the women are at work outside of their own homes. Yet the stamp of the feminine mind is upon everything American and in many of the higher phases of culture women take the initiative.

This rule of women in the United States begins in our public schools, where boys and girls are educated together and where the teacher is always, in the lower grades at least, a woman. In the great cities the feminine influence goes into every nook and cranny of social development. A woman has been suggested as Mayor of Chicago and the "civic creed" of Chicago was composed by a woman and is recited every day by thousands of school children.

Women compose very largely the reading public and no current novel can succeed without their patronage. Some of the most successful magazines are devoted to their interest exclusively and those given to scientific and philosophic discussions seldom exist long or they become the organs of small and detached organizations of men.

Art exhibits are conducted by women and women hold executive officials in world's fair committees. They serve as chairmen of school boards and they torment, through their municipal leagues, the party leaders. They are notable as charity workers and they have made reputations as doctors, lawyers, magazine editors, newspaper reporters, preachers, political speakers and labor organizers and agitators. Indeed, where in the United States do we not find the woman with her influence, battering at all doors?—World's Work.

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**Hasty Explanation.**

Gunner—There goes a saintly looking man. I bet he is temperance from his heart.

Guyer—That might be, but I saw him lying out in the middle of the road on his back the other day.

Gunner—Did, eh? Well, that shows how looks deceive. The idea of a man like him drink —

Guyer—Who said anything about drinking? He was lying down on his back under his automobile repairing a breakdown.—Baltimore Sun.

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**Just Possible.**

Clara—I wish I could believe what he says, but ——

Maude—What does he say?

Clara—Why, he says he loves me, yet he has only known me two days.

Maude—Well, perhaps that's the reason.

## WOMAN BEATS MACHINE.

**Automatic Housecleaning Device Could Not Take Her Place.**

"I have called," said the agent of the automatic house-cleaning apparatus, as related in the Detroit Free Press, "to try to interest you in our method of cleaning house. We have a machine here that will do all your work."

"Will your machine wash the outside of the upstairs windows?" exclaimed the woman.

"No, but——"

"Will it wash, stretch and iron the curtains; take them down and put them up again?"

"No, but——"

"Will it paper the little room in the hall and clean the wall paper in the bathroom?"

"No, it is not intended——"

"Will it prevent my husband from walking over a clean floor with his dirty feet?"

"No, madam, but——"

"Will it take down the parlor stove and put up the ice chest?"

"No, but we are prepared——"

"Will it wash the winter bedclothes, put camphor in my furs, make my daughter help with the dishes, keep my husband from grumbling about the cold meals, persuade him to do the gardening, keep the dog out of the parlor, paint the kitchen floor, gild the gas fixtures and the picture frames, hang new portieres, carry the ashes out of the cellar and find time to make new dresses for three girls and summer night shirts for my husband?"

"No, madam, of course, our machine has limitations."

"Limitations! Of course it has. Every machine has, but man expects a woman to have none. Limitations, indeed! If it had any limitations it wouldn't be long before this house would go to ruin. It will be a long time before you men'll make a machine to take a woman's place or do half the work. Good day."

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**Misunderstood.**

"What are you reading, John?" asked Mrs. Stubb, looking up from her sewing.

"Why, something about 'Cleaning Up Panama,'" replied her husband, who was perusing an article on the improvements down in the zone.

"Why, what a loss of time! I know all about cleaning up panamas. All you have to do is to put them over a bowl of burning sulphur and cover them up with a bandbox."

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**Consideration.**

"Why does the conductor collect fares just as we are entering the tunnel?" inquired the stranger.

"That is the company's order," explained the latter. "It's to cover the conductor's confusion when he blushes for having to collect any fare at all on this line."

## THE GREAT AFRICAN ROAD.

**Steel Rails Being Laid Rapidly Between the Cape and Cairo.**

Various interests combined, under the encouragement of the British government, are now constructing what is called the Cape to Cairo Railway, a line of track from the Mediterranean to the Cape of Good Hope. On the northern end the Egyptian government has already built to Khartoum, and at the southern end of the continent the South African Development Company is making encouraging progress with funds obtained by the sale of bonds. The road is one of the greatest enterprises ever undertaken—quite as great as the Siberian Railway. Cecil Rhodes, the empire builder, first suggested the scheme and organized the movement. People thought he was insane, but he was only wise and farsighted and progressive beyond his generation. The road is not intended to carry through freight or to be a money maker of itself, but it will be the most powerful agency that could be devised in the development of the dark continent.

There are other railroads in Africa. The French are building extensively in Algiers and down on the coast of Guinea, and propose to construct a line across the Desert of Sahara. There are schemes to develop the desert, to irrigate vast tracts of land between Algiers on the north and Timbuctoo on the south, and the railway is intended to cross somewhere between those points on the meridian of longitude. The Germans are doing a good deal also in the way of development. They have several lines of road running up from the coast into the interior of the territory which they control.

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**Premature.**

The street car passenger handed back the nickel that had been given him in change.

"What's the matter with it?" asked the conductor.

"It's plugged," answered the passenger. "You should have waited till you got a little further into the tunnel before trying to pass it."

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**Overlooked One Part of It.**

The rector's little daughter did not appear to be wholly satisfied.

"Why, dear," said her mother, "don't you remember you prayed the other night for a brown collie dog? Well, here it is."

"Yes," pouted the little girl, "but I prayed for a brass collar and chain, too."

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**Sorrow of It.**

Hal—There goes a woman who bunkoed me out of a fortune.

Ned—Why, how's that?

Hal—She's the heiress I was telling you about who refused to marry me.—Columbus Dispatch.

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Regular Republican Nominee for Justice of the Peace, Rowland Township.

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Regular Republican Nominee for Coroner of Los Angeles County.

MARK KEPPEL

Regular Republican Nominee for County Superintendent of Schools.

GEO. H. HUTTON

Regular Republican Nominee for Superior Judge

That the Republicans of this county stand for purity and morality in both public and private life was never more clearly shown than at the Venice convention this week when 800 representative men of the county publicly announced their unalterable determination to stamp out race track gambling.

The following resolution was unanimously and enthusiastically adopted:

"Resolved, That the Republican party is and has always been a consistent advocate of decency and morality; that it cannot and will not countenance any institution which lowers the moral tone of the community or tends to the degradation of the individual; that while the racing of horses properly conducted is not and should not be the subject of just criticism, the conduct of race tracks solely for the promotion of gambling is pernicious in the extreme and is a disgraceful blot upon any community, and should be and is hereby earnestly condemned by this convention.

"Resolved further, that believing that pool selling, bookmaking and all kinds of race track gambling as carried on, are detrimental to good morals, we instruct our Senators and Representatives in the State Legislature to secure state legislation prohibiting the same in the state of California."

### Strong With the People.

Riverside Press: One of the most absurd arguments that is used against the renomination of Governor Pardee is that he would not make a strong candidate at the polls.

This is what the Sacramento Bee, the strongest elas[illegible] that [illegible] in [illegible] years ago, says on [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] not accept a nomination against [illegible] for they admit no [illegible] Democrat in California can defeat him if he is nominated the independent thinking Democracy among the common people will stand shoulder to shoulder with stalwart Republicanism in his support."

Elsewhere in this issue appears the announcement that a new firm, heavily financed, the Southwestern Brokerage Company, has entered the field to purchase oranges on a spot cash proposition. This will be good news to the grower as the Exchange and the spot cash buyer are the two methods of marketing fruit that guarantees living prices for the producer. A firm that pays spot cash is always a "bull" in the market.

Considerable indignation is felt in Azusa, Covina and elsewhere at an article which appeared in the Los Angeles Times of Sunday in reference to a Covina hunting party accused of shooting a doe. The article throughout, which is designed to assail and injure the character of several of Covina's prominent citizens, is a tissue of malicious lies and fake interviews with mythical persons. Who is "Charlie" Smith?

### University of Southern California.

President Bovard has received official notice from the State University that the work done in the University of Southern California will be accredited at the State institution, and that entrance examinations will be waived in the case of students who have completed satisfactorily the work of the preparatory school.

### Laying Steel.

The track layers of the Covina Electric commenced work at Vineland yesterday, and it is now only a few weeks before the track will be laid to the center of the city.

Another large grading camp was established just west of the city yesterday and they have orders to rush the work to completion as far as the Covina city limits on the east.

### Pastor May Resign.

Rev. J. W. Utter, pastor of the Christian Church, unpleasantly surprised his congregation last Sunday by intimating that he had been offered the assistant pastorate of the First Christian Church, Pasadena, and was seriously considering accepting the same. This gentleman is much loved by his congregation and should his decision be final his loss will be looked upon as an almost irreparable one to the local church.

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State of California, County of Los Angeles, ss

Personally appeared before me, this 1st day of August, 1906, John Kunny and Peter R. Kunny, known to me to be the persons who executed the foregoing instrument and each acknowledged to me that he had executed the same.

Seal George C. Washburn
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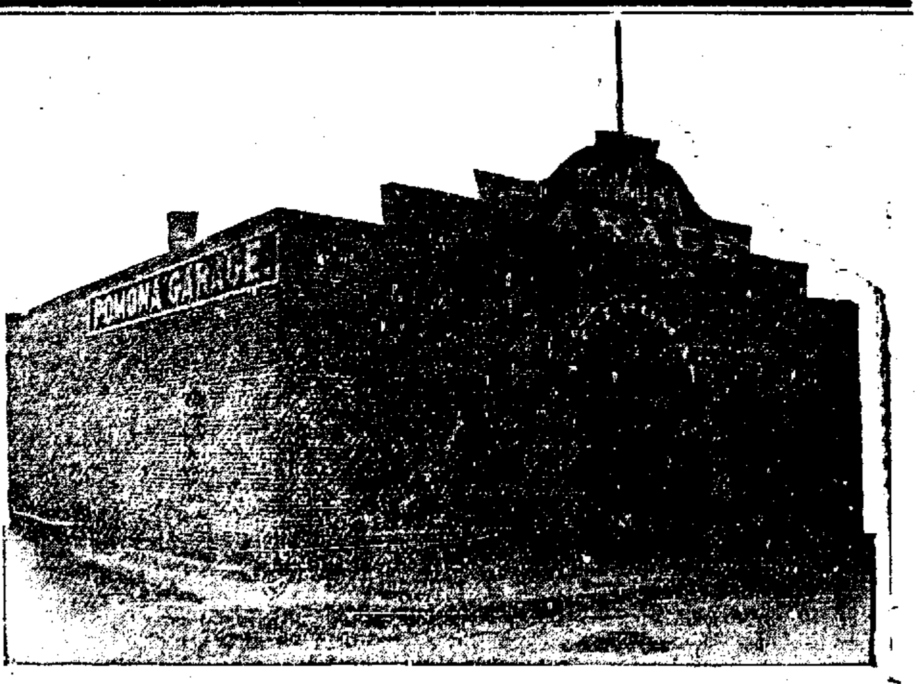


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# Local Events.

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Mrs. Belle Harris left Wednesday for an indefinite stay at Avalon.

Miss Clara Amon spent a few days during the past week at Redondo.

Wm. McFarlane of Long Beach was here on business yesterday.

P. N. Warner left Tuesday for his home at Sanger, Cal., after spending a few days with relatives here.

Miss Leisel Leighton left Thursday for a few days visit with friends in Los Angeles.

For 10 days, good recleaned wheat for $1.40 cwt. in half ton lots. San Garbiel Valley Milling Company.

W. H. Lavayea left Thursday for Stanford where he will take a course in civil engineering at the university.

Miss Blanche Boots is visiting relatives and friends at Los Angeles and Iglewood.

Mrs. I. C. Fairly and children returned Wednesday after a pleasant outing at Long Beach.

Misses Elsie and Grace Spencer visited the past week with friends in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Daniels and son George are enjoying a week's outing at Venice.

Miss Vera Van Auken has been spending her vacation at Long Beach the past week.

Miss Grace Blackman, who has been taking an outing at Long Beach, retured Thursday evening.

Miss Alma Blackman returned this week after a ten days' visit with friends at Modesto.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Houser and family, who have been spending their vacation at El Pizmo, returned Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. King and family and Miss Cora McKirahan returned Wednesday evening after a month's outing at Sycamore Flats.

Mrs. W. H. Matthews and little daughter came over from Catalina Tuesday to attend the Wilkins-Murrey wedding.

Mrs. Alice Burpee and children, accompanied by the former's brother, Frank Wellington, left yesterday for a two weeks' outing at Follows Camp.

Mrs. Etta Faex and little son of Burnett, Cal, is visiting at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Crouse.

Mrs. J. N. Wilson and little son returned Sunday evening after a two months visit with relatives in Chicago.

Dr. D. C. Herron and daughters, Misses Anna and Charlotte, returned Thursday evening after a week's stay at Catalina.

Miss Emma Neste, who has been spending several months here with her sister, Mrs. Victor Peterson, left yesterday evening for her home in Granite Falls, Minnesota.

Mrs. F. E. de Coninsh, who has been spending several months with her mother, Mrs. H. Peck, left Sunday morning for her home in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Dudderar have had as their guests this week, Mr. and Mrs Lester Fulmer of Norton, Kansas, and Miss Estella Bell of Norcatur, Kanasa.

Don't forget the sale of cakes and home cooking and of ices this afternoon and evening in the old Bell & Ostrander store, which is held by the ladies of Holy Trinity Guild for the debt on the rectory.

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Anyone interested in the subject of cover crops will be well repaid to visit the [illegible] acre Valencia orchard of Mr. Ben F. Thorpe on Cypress avenue. At present he is plowing under a crop of "Whippoorwill" cow peas, which are just eight weeks old and are over four feet high and the roots show a large quantity of nitrogen-producing modules. Mr. Thorpe is planning to sow a winter cover crop on the same land, in about two weeks.

Mrs. J. V. Montgomery is enjoying an outing at Long Beach.

Charles Damerel of Azusa avenue is reported as quite seriously ill.

For Sale — Fine thoroughbred Buff Orphington cockrels. Mrs. G. F. Preston, phone 1151.

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Mrs I. I. Cook and Miss Vyrgenne Fauder left Wednesday for a week's sojourn at Avalon.

George Sturtevant, who has been spending the past four months in Arizona, returned Wednesday evening.

Wanted:—Family Washing. Mrs. E. W. Herron, near corner Center and First streets.

Mrs. S. W. Hallahan was up from Ocean Park this week attending to ranch affairs.

Mrs. C. W. Potter has been entertaining her niece, Miss Ellen Nevell of Los Angeles, during the past week.

Prof. S. S. Ingram of Monrovia spent yesterday in Covina.

Mrs. J. W. Prentiss has been spending the past week at Long Beach.

C. V. Judd of Montalvo, Cal., is visiting a few days at the home of his sister, Mrs. J. R. Hodges.

Miss Helen Flory of Los Angeles is visiting this week at the home of her uncle, M. Bashor.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Fabrick and son Clarence left yesterday for a week's outing at Ocean Park.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McGiffert returned last evening from a pleasant auto trip along the coast. They were absent five days.

Robt. Taylor, a trusted employee of Warner, Whitsel & Co., is threatened with a nervous breakdown. He is taking a rest for several days.

S. S. Aschenbrenner left yesterday for Oregon. He will return with a bride. Sam has kept this affair very quiet but it leaked out a few hours before he left.

On Wednesday evening, August 22, Miss Grace Boots entertained about twenty of her friends in honor of her sixteenth birthday. Games were played and the evening passed merrily. Ice cream and cake were served. The young folks departed wishing Miss Grace many happy returns.

FOR SALE—Finest 20 acre all Valencia grove in state, block from electric line, Covina. Three years' income $24000, packers' statement. Heaviest crop now on trees. Property worth $40,000; reduced for quick sale to $29,000. If you know a bargain and are interested, don't delay. See owner, H. H. Smith, 721 S. Broadway, Los Angeles, Cal.

### New Road Overseer.

A petiion is being circulatted and very generally signed for the appointment of J. L. Motter as road overseer in the Covina district. If this is acted upon it will mean the removal of Jacob Brunjes.

### Covina Garage.

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## CHARTER OAK.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Given visited friends in Hollywood Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. A. G. Sutton of Pasadena is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. P. M. Allen.

Wm. Crook and family are spending a couple of weeks at [illegible].

Robin Graham left Tuesday for Seattle and British Columbia to be gone several weeks. While there he will visit in San Francisco, Portland, and other northern points.

Mrs. Wm. Pawling and Miss Winnifred spent several days visiting friends at Santa Monica.

Rev. H. C. Ward was in attendance at the Christian Convention held at Long Beach last week.

## Church News

Rev. A. Fletcher left for the San Bernardino mountains on Tuesday to take a vacation of three weeks at Bluff Lake. For the next three Sundays there will be no services in Holy Trinity Church. The services will be resumed on Sept. 16th.

Presbyterian services: Sunday-school 9:45. Preaching 11, subject, "Who is on the Lord's Side?" Y. P.S.C.E. 6:45 p. m. Gospel service 7:45 p.m., subject, "Lot's Wife a Beacon." All are most cordially invited to be present.
Paul G. Stevens, pastor.

Methodist Episcopal Church, Isaac Jewell, D D, pastor. Sunday-school 9:45. Epworth League 6:45. Preaching 11 a.m. and 7:45 p. m. Morning subject, "The Flourishing Church." Evening subject, "A Great Ambition." Vacation now being over, let us all report at God's house.

Sunday services at the Christian Church. Sunday-school 9:15 a. m. Preaching morning and evening by Pastor J. W. Utter. Membership meeting called at close of morning service. C. E., 6:45 p.m.; subject, "Home Missions Among Our Island Possessions," Isa. 42:1-12; leader, Miss Dora Blanchard. Praise service. Evening sermon, "Unsearchable Riches."

### House Movers.

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### Notice.

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For Sale—Two houses, to be moved about the 1st of September. Apply to Mrs. I. I. Cook.

Tree tanglefoot will protect your trees from damage by beetles, ants or climbing cut-worms. For sale by G. F. Preston, Covina. Home phone 57.

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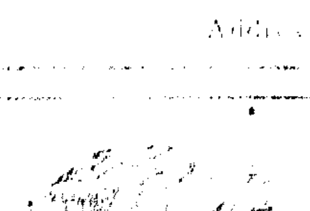
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The bivouac of the dead.

No rumor of the foe's advance
Now swells upon the wind;
No troubled thoughts at midnight haunts
Of loved ones left behind;
No vision of the morrow's strife
The warrior's dream alarms;
No braying horn nor screaming fife
At dawn shall call to arms.

Their shivered swords are red with rust,
Their plumed heads are bowed;
Their haughty banner, trailed in dust,
Is now their martial shroud.
And plenteous funeral tears have washed
The red stains from each brow,
And the proud forms, by battle gashed,
Are free from anguish now.

The neighing troops, the flashing blade,
The bugle's stirring blast,
The charge, the dreadful cannonade,
The din and shout, are past;
No war's wild note nor glory's peal
Shall thrill with fierce delight
Those breasts that never more may feel
The rapture of the fight.

Like the fierce northern hurricane
That sweeps his great plateau,
Flushed with the triumph yet to gain,
Came down the serried foe.
Who heard the thunder of the fray
Break o'er the field beneath,
Knew well the watchword of that day
Was "Victory or Death."

Long had the doubtful conflict raged
O'er all that stricken plain,
For never fiercer fight had waged
The vengeful blood of Spain;
And still the storm of battle blew,
Still swelled the gory tide;
Not long, our stout old chieftain knew,
Such odds his strength could bide.

'Twas in that hour his stern command
Called to a martyr's grave
The flower of his beloved land,
The nation's flag to save.
By rivers of their fathers' gore
His first-born laurels grew,
And well he deemed the sons would pour
Their lives for glory, too.

Full many a norther's breath has swept
O'er Angostura's plain,
And long the pitying sky has wept
Above its mouldered slain.
The raven's scream, or eagle's flight,
Or shepherd's pensive lay,
Alone awakes each sullen height
That frowned o'er that dread fray.

Sons of the Dark and Bloody Ground,
You must not slumber there,
Where stranger steps and tongues resound
Along the heedless air.
Your own proud land's heroic soil
Shall be your fitter grave;
She claims from war his richest spoil—
The ashes of her brave.

Thus 'neath their parent turf they rest,
Far from the gory field,
Borne to a Spartan mother's breast
On many a bloody shield;
The sunshine of their native sky
Smiles sadly on them here,
And kindred eyes and hearts watch by
The heroes' sepulchre.

Rest on, embalmed and sainted dead!
Dear as the blood ye gave;
No impious footstep here shall tread
The herbage of your grave;
Nor shall your glory be forgot
While Fame her record keeps,
O Honor points the hallowed spot
Where Valor proudly sleeps.

Yon marble minstrel's voiceless stone
In deathless song shall tell,
When many a vanished age hath flown,
The story how ye fell;
Nor wreck, nor change, nor winter's blight,
Nor Time's remorseless doom,
Shall dim one ray of glory's light
That gilds your deathless tomb.
—Theodore O'Hara.

## LOSING BRAZIL TRADE.

### Lack of Merchant Marine Puts United States Far in Rear.

Brazil is a country of varied and wonderful resources and, with the introduction of proper machinery and up-to-date methods, its development would be extended so that within a few years it would produce enormously and take rank among the leading commercial countries in the world, says the New York Tribune. Its export trade is advancing now at a very rapid rate, especially that in rubber, which amounts to millions of dollars annually.

The introduction of the bicycle, the automobile and other rubber-tired vehicles has given the rubber production an impetus which has caused it to forge to the front as the leading export of the country.

The coffee trade is also being extended rapidly, having a healthy growth to its credit. The United States purchases one-half the coffee exported from Brazil, which, during the fiscal year ended with June 30, 1904, amounted in value to $46,922,974.

Of the three leading nations which sold their products to Brazil in 1904 Great Britain ranks first, with $34,976,266 to its credit, or 28 per cent of the total amount of her imports, Germany comes second, with $15,975,118, or 12 per cent, and the United States third, with $14,031,970, or 11 per cent. The great disparity of the amount of goods sold by Great Britain and the United States to Brazil presents a problem for the manufacturers and exporters of this country which must be solved if their trade with that and other South American countries is to be extended.

Of Britain's imports in 1904 the leading articles were the manufactures of cotton, which amounted to $18,744,912; manufactures of iron and steel, $16,197,044; breadstuffs, $13,809,731; wine, $7,685,625; provisions, $7,207,480, and coal, $6,183,638. Of all these, with the possible exception of wine, the United States is a manufacturer, or agricultural producer, and it seems absurd that Brazil should be obliged to seek them in Europe instead of from her North American neighbor.

Of the exports from Brazil during the same period coffee and rubber comprised the principal articles. For the six months ended June 30, 1904 and 1905, the value of coffee exported amounted to $31,113,915 and $33,449,641, and the value of the rubber to $29,443,877 and $39,610,439, respectively. This shows an increase in rubber exports of $10,166,562 for the six months under review.

In recent years a large amount of foreign capital has been invested in Brazilian enterprises, especially in the city of Rio Janeiro. German capitalists have established steamship lines for coast service, and American and Canadian capitalists have acquired the car lines, gas works and telephone service at Rio Janeiro, the money invested being closely estimated at $25,000,000.

This, however, is only the beginning of the invasion of Brazil by foreign enterprise. There is a determined movement now being made to revolutionize the trade conditions there. The United States is reaching out to grasp what it considers to be its fair share of the trade which has been controlled so long by Great Britain and Germany. The greatest obstacle in the way of its passage to the desired goal is the weakness of the merchant marine of this country. American exporters have not the facilities for transporting their goods to Brazil which are enjoyed by their rivals in Europe, and until this obstacle is removed the progress of American trade must necessarily be slow.

The record of the ports of Brazil for the year 1904 is a sad one for study by American exporters. During the year 17,407 sailing vessels and steamers entered the ports, with an aggregate tonnage of 11,879,523, being an increase of 1,339 in the number of vessels and 811,265 in the tonnage, and of these the American flag is represented as among the 299 of "other countries" not specified because of the small number of their ships.

## BEAUTIFUL AND CLEVER.

### Baroness Rosen One of the Most Popular Women in Washington.

One of the most beautiful and clever women in Washington is Baroness Rosen, wife of the Russian ambassador. She is the confidant and adviser of her husband and nothing is done by the latter, unless the baroness is first consulted. The latter is well acquainted with American ways, having been with her husband when he was consul general at New York and likewise at Washington when he was charge d'affaires there. It was in Washington that their only child, Miss Elizabeth, now a sprightly girl of 16, was born. Baroness Rosen is the daughter of Gen. Odintzoll, a famous Russian soldier and governor of Nijni Novgorod. She takes a prominent place in Washington society and has made many friends both for herself and her husband by her cleverness, tact and great beauty.

BARONESS ROSEN.

### A Veteran.

A member of the bar of Baltimore relates how a witness in a trial suit in that city once "got back" at the lawyer who had been endeavoring to "rattle" the witness by a severe cross-examination.

At a certain point in the proceedings the witness suddenly interrupted the cross-examining lawyer by exclaiming:

"Look here! You needn't think you kin rattle me by askin' all them questions."

"No?" was the sarcastic rejoinder.

"No, sirree!" came in emphatic tone from the refractory witness. "Your questions don't bother me at all. I've raised three sons an' two grandsons, an' I've been in training a good many years."—Harper's Weekly.

### Overshot the Mark.

Mrs. Houston—I don't believe you ever want to work.

Weary Willie—Oh, honest, lady, many's the time. But I'm such a strenuous feller that every time I start ter go ter work I go clean past it.—Philadelphia Press.

### Writing by Proxy.

Newman—The idea of saying that Penman doesn't write the books that are published over his name! Why, he keeps two secretaries busy!

Critcus—Yes, one writing and the other dictating.—Translated for Tales from Le Figaro.

### Sadness of It.

Singleton—The only relations I have are distant.

Wedderly—Huh! You're in luck. All mine are near enough to visit me. —Chicago News.

If a man make a change in business against his wife's wishes, and it proves a mistake, how he does catch it for the balance of his life!


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| | a. m. | a. m. | | a. m. | | p. m. | p. m. |
| Leave Azusa | 5:35 | 7:10 | | 9:01 | | 1:10 | 4:41 |
| Ar. in Los Angeles | 6:30 | 8:25 | | 10:03 | | 2:05 | 5:40 |

FROM LOS ANGELES

| STATIONS | No. 8 Overland | No. 42 Local Daily | | No. 44 Local Daily | | No. 4 Limited | No. 2 Overland |
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| Leave Los Angeles | 7:30 | 8:30 | | 4:30 | | 6:15 | 8:00 |
| Arrive in Azusa | 8:32 | 9:32 | | 5:26 | | 7:04 | 9:04 |

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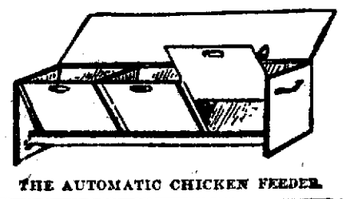


THE AUTOMATIC CHICKEN FEEDER.

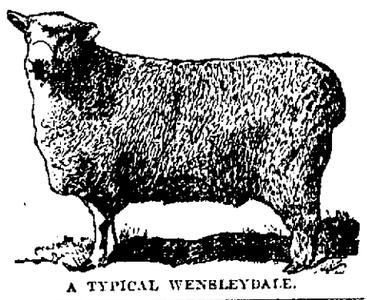
in one and grit or oyster shells in a third. The chickens can help themselves whenever they want to eat, and their feed is always clean and they can't waste their feed by getting it in the mud or snow, and the lid is on hinges, so it can be shut down and fastened, so that feed is perfectly dry. Each bin will hold one peck of feed.—Farm Progress.

### Summer Cultivation.

Summer plowing will answer well on ground that has long been in sod, and which has been turned under in the spring. Such land is usually planted to corn or potatoes, and the frequent use of the cultivator keeps the ground loose and promotes decay of the sod. But potatoes for an early stock are harvested as soon as possible, which leaves the soil not only rough, but in an excellent condition for weeds. By plowing the soil after the potatoes are off it will be reduced to a finer condition, the weeds will be destroyed and the second crop of weeds rewarded, so that by the time the land should be gotten ready for wheat (when it should be plowed again) the seed bed for the wheat can be harrowed down fine and nice, while all the weeds will not only have been destroyed, but prevented from seeding. If the plowing on corn land is done as soon as the corn is out, and again the land plowed before seeding the wheat, it will be a great benefit to the wheat.

### Fine Wool Sheep.

The Wensleydale breed of sheep is far from common even in its home, England. None is in America. It is a fine sheep, superior in some respects to all others. It is said that for crossing on any other breed the Wensleydale has no equal. Since the Royal Agricultural Society of England commenced giving prizes for wool three years ago, the Wensleydale wool has each time secured first prize in the "any other long-



A TYPICAL WENSLEYDALE.

wooled class." No long wool produced in the British Isles is equal to the Wensleydale in quality or value.

### Culling Live Stock.

A great many breeders fail to achieve the results at which they aim simply because of their reluctance to discard an occasional animal which contains a slight blemish. Wanting the best, they use what they know is not perfect to produce it, hoping nature will kindly gloss over and not reproduce the defect. Such a policy is suicidal. The breeder who would enjoy the highest success must not be afraid to cull. Let every animal which can not be rated as first-class, and strictly so, be matured and sold. Breed from only the best, and on no condition or consideration let your flock deteriorate through failure to reject the imperfect.—Agricultural Epitomist.

### Use of Coal Ashes.

While coal ashes contain no fertilizing value they are certainly useful on the farm and should be saved. They are not entirely valueless in the soil, for they will materially assist in making a stiff clay soil more workable if well mixed with it. The best use for coal ashes, however, is in the filling in of wet spots, sifting them and using the fine ashes in the dust boxes in the poultry houses and the coarser portions for the making of walks alone or mixed with gravel. They may be used to advantage as a mulch around trees mainly for the purpose of keeping the soil moist and keeping grass from growing around them.

### Nail Wounds in Hoofs.

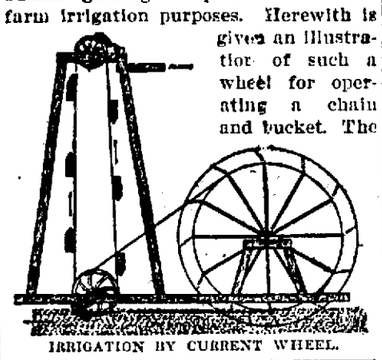
It has long been known that nail pricks and other similar injuries in the horse's hoof may lead to an infection followed by formation of pus under the horn of the hoof and a serious general disease of the horse or at least the loss of the hoof. In a bulletin of the South Dakota Station, Moore has recently reported results obtained in a number of cases from applying a strict antiseptic treatment to injuries of this sort. The method consists in paring away the horn of the hoof from the affected part until the blood oozes out. The hoof is then thoroughly washed in a solution of bichlorid of mercury at the rate of one part to 500 of water, after which absorbent cotton saturated in a solution of the same strength is applied to the wound and the whole hoof is packed in cotton surrounded by a bandage and well coated with tar. This prevents any further filth from coming in contact with the wound. The operation must usually be done by a qualified veterinarian. Subsequent treatment, however, can be applied by the average farmer, since all that is necessary is to pour a little of this solution of bichlorid of mercury upon the cotton which projects from the upper part of the bandage. The cotton will absorb enough of the solution to keep the wound moistened and hasten the healing process.

### Shade the Poultry Yard.

If it is necessary to confine the poultry during the summer and the inclosure cannot be placed near the shade of buildings or trees, try the plan of growing some plants just outside the fence, but far enough from it so that the fowls cannot get at the foliage. One of the best plants for the purpose is the canna, using the cheap, tall-growing sorts, and buying the roots, not the seeds. Another quick growing plant and one which will make an abundance of shade is the castor bean, which may be grown from seeds planted where they are to stay; that is, the young plants cannot well be transferred. Even corn set thickly will furnish some shade quickly, and if a vine is wanted, nothing is better than the common morning-glory, the seeds being sown thick and the vines trained along strings fastened to the poultry yard fence. While the vines or plants are growing erect a rough roof of boards open on all sides to supply temporary shade.

### Farm Irrigation Plant.

A current wheel to run a chain and bucket gearing is quite feasible for farm irrigation purposes. Herewith is given an illustration of such a wheel for operating a chain and bucket. The



IRRIGATION BY CURRENT WHEEL.

diagram is self-explanatory.

### A Pointed Question.

Two cows cost $40 each per year for keep. One of them yields you 4,000 quarts of milk a year, that bring you $86. The other yields 120 quarts, that bring you $26. The latter loses for you about $14 and reduces the gain on the former from $46 to $32. Why do you keep the 1,200-quart cow? You would be better off with the one that clears $46, for you would have only half the investment, half the work, and half the feeding, and you would gain $14 each year. There would be no surplus butter on the market for years to come and prices would rule strong if the cows were eliminated which are kept at a loss. Dairy farmers have not yet half waked up to an understanding of the great practical importance of weeding out the unprofitable cows from their herds. Many a man would make a fair profit, that now faces a constant loss, if he would keep only such cows as pay a profit on their keep.—Farm Journal.

### Hauling Hay.

It is a very desirable thing to be able to haul all the hay into the barn the same day it is cut. The worriment and anxiety consequent upon the liability of a storm before morning are thus avoided, and experience has taught that hay having no more than three or four hours' sun will come out in the spring perfectly sweet and in fine condition for the cattle. In adopting this plan it is well to keep the hay constantly stirred with a tedder. There has been a fear of putting hay into some barns that contain a noticeable amount of water, but if it is properly packed by being evenly distributed over the mow, each forkful trodden upon, and the barn kept closed as much as possible, the result will probably be gratifying.

### Farm Tools and Implements.

On many farms, hoes, forks, shovels and other tools have to be looked up when wanted, and this looking up sometimes consumes more time than would be required by the job of work itself. Oftentimes plows, harrows and cultivators, instead of being carefully housed, are left out of doors all winter.

### Apply a Good Fertilizer.

The value of vegetables depends largely upon quick growth, and if crops are not growing well some quick-acting fertilizer like nitrate of soda, guano or poultry droppings, should be worked into the soil close to the roots. Frequent cultivation of the soil with the cultivator, rake or hoe will often be all that is necessary.

### Dean Shaler.

Few men at Harvard have had more influence with the students there than Dean Nathaniel S. Shaler, geologist, of the Lawrence Scientific School, who died recently. Some years ago an irreverent volume of skits of college professors was published by some undergraduates and entitled "Harvard Celebrities." This is what it had to say of him:

This is Shaler,
Fairy-taler,
Scientific mountain-scaler,
Penetrator
Of each crater
From the poles to the Equator;
Tamer of the hurricane,
Prophet of the wind and rain,
Hypnotizer
Of the geyser,
Wizard of the frozen plain.
Hark! What is that deep and subterranean roar
Arising near Memorial and reaching out to Gore?
'Tis the rumble of applause
When the speaker makes a pause
In relating an adventure from his fund of earthquake-lore.

### A Chance for Somebody.

"Very strange, isn't it, about the story of Adam and Eve?"

"How?"

"Why, as far as I know, it hasn't been worked up into a historical novel."—Watson's Magazine.


## COULD NOT KEEP UP.

### Broken Down, Like Many Another Woman, With Exhausting Kidney Troubles.

Mrs. A. Taylor, of Wharton, N. J., says: "I had kidney trouble in its most painful and severe form, and the torture I went through now seems to have been almost unbearable. I had backache, pains in the side and loins, dizzy spells and hot, feverish headaches. There were bearing down pains, and the kidney secretions passed too frequently, and with a burning sensation. They showed sediment. I became discouraged, weak, languid and depressed, so sick and weak that I could not keep up. As doctors did not cure me I decided to try Doan's Kidney Pills, and with such success that my troubles were all gone after using eight boxes, and my strength, ambition and general health is fine."

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### Knows Him.

Mother—Do you think you are true to Charlie in letting so many other men call on you?

Daughter—Oh, don't you know Charlie? If he thought he was the only man that wanted to call on me he'd break the engagement.—Detroit Free Press.


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### Don't Whine.

"Don't go around with a whine in your voice and a cloud on your face and tell what might have been if someone else had done his duty," says the August Journal. "Nine chances in ten you are the one who is wholly to blame. Get the mirror before you and give yourself a rigid examination. You could give yourself a worse name than the one you gave the other fellow. Get right with yourself."


# A Hair Dressing

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### Life's Prime Is at Forty.

The larger part of the great fortunes of this country have been accumulated after their amassers have passed 40. In fact, the first forty years of a man's life are the preparatory years—the years of training and discipline. A large part of this time he is laying the foundation—just getting ready to rear the superstructure. Many of us stumble around many years before we get into the right place and then for additional years we make many mistakes. Most men do not get wise until they have passed 40. They may get knowledge before this, but not much wisdom. Wisdom is a ripening process. It takes time.

At the age when Dr. Osler thinks men are becoming useless Lincoln was trying to get an appointment as a land commissioner and failed. At the same age nobody outside of his own little community knew Ulysses S. Grant. He had not then accomplished anything of note, and yet he became the greatest military figure of his day.

Every man makes his own deadline. Some reach it at 35, some at 40, some at 50; some do not reach it at 80, some never reach it, because they never cease to grow.—O. S. Marden, in Success.


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### He Wasn't Romantic.

She nestled her head on his manly breast.

"Oh, George!" she whispered, "how loud your heart beats! And every beat is for your own Angeline, isn't it, dear?"

He looked uncomfortable.

"Well, the fact is," he said, "that the engagement ring cost so much that I'm—er—obliged for the present to carry one of these dollar watches. That's what you hear."—Cleveland Leader.

### No Indications.

"My stomach has gone back on me," complained the fat man.

"You don't look it, old fellow," said his physician. "I never saw it in a more forward condition."

### Looked That Way.

Markley—Well, what do you think of the cigar? My doctor especially recommended that brand to me.

Crabbe—H'm! So he wants to cure you of the tobacco habit, eh?—Philadelphia Ledger.

## FRANKLIN IN FRANCE.

### He Was Given Many Honors and Was the Rage of the Court.

Franklin became the fashion of the season. For the court dabbled a little in liberal ideas. So powerful was the vast impulse of free thought that then influenced the mind of France—that susceptible French mind that always answers like the wind harp to the breath of every true human aspiration—that even the highest classes caught the infection of liberalism. They [illegible] the momentous words Liberty [illegible] man Rights in their dainty wa[illegible] they were only a new game for their amusement, not knowing what was to them the terrible import of those words. It became very much the accepted thing at court to rave about Franklin. The young and lovely queen, Marie Antoinette, was most winning and gracious toward him. The languid courtiers crammed natural science to talk with him. The small wits who knew a little Greek called him Solon and Aristides and Phocion, says John Hay in the Century.

It is sad to think of the utter unconsciousness of these amiable aristocrats. They never dreamed that this man Franklin was a portent and a prophet of ruin to them. He was incarnate democracy and they petted him. They never imagined that in showering their good-natured homage upon this austere republican they were sowing the wind which would ripen in an awful harvest of whirlwinds. Later, when the whirlwinds had hardly got beyond the frisky stage of their development, the queen lamented bitterly the folly of these ovations to the great democrat. There was one sagacious head that was wisely shaken over these indiscretions while they lasted. Joseph II., Emperor of Austria, brother to the queen, who was in Paris on his travels, and who was as much of a democrat as an emperor can be, when his sister rebuked his coolness on the American question, replied: "Madame, the trade I live by is that of a royalist."

Court incense could not turn the philosophic head any more than the loud acclaim of the people. When Franklin found himself the honored guest of royalty, his thoughts reverted to those faraway days of boyhood, when his father used to quote to him, in the old candy shop at Boston, the words of the wise man, "Seest thou a man diligent in his business? He shall stand before kings." The old sage heard the echo of that paternal voice resounding over half a century, and a new and strange light, as of prophecy fulfilled, illumined the immortal words. Surely, no man ever lived more diligent in his business. Surely no man ever stood, with more of the innate dignity of upright manhood, before kings.

## GRAND CANYON RICH IN ORE.

### Copper Found in Abundance on Sides of the Great Chasm.

The Grand canyon of the Colorado is so closely associated with the barren country of the southwest that its possession of valuable mineral resources is comparatively unknown. As a matter of fact, however, the erosion which has been continuing for centuries on such an enormous scale has brought to the surface indications of metal which are familiar to the few prospectors who have explored the canyon.

The most notable deposit of this kind thus far discovered is copper ore. A mine is now in operation on what is known as the Grand View fault, which is undoubtedly one of the richest in the world.

Little work in the way of development was undertaken until recently, when an organization known as the Canyon Copper Company exploited it on a scientific basis, with the result that ore was found which actually assays 75 per cent carbonate, being largely of the malachite variety.

The mine is situated in a formation over 1,000 feet below the rim and in one of the buttes or pillars in proximity to the southern side of the canyon. The ore lies in such a position that it can be readily reached by lateral openings and so extensive is the deposit that in places the width is no less than 500 feet.

As yet the ore is extracted almost entirely by hand labor, and while enough of it has been taken to the smelter to determine its commercial value, the bulk of it has thus far been placed in the stock pile.

Owing to the location of the mine the modern method of transportation as yet has not been employed and that followed in South American and Mexico and some other countries is in vogue—packing the ore intended for the smelter to the rim on the backs of burros.

As may be imagined, this is a very expensive process, but the richness of the ore is such that it can be procured in this manner, transported to the nearest railway, which is fourteen miles distant and hauled by rail to El Paso 615 miles and a large profit realized from the metal obtained.

The plans of the company contemplate the construction of an aerial tramway, as a source of electric power is available from a water course which flows through one of the branch canyons into the Colorado.

The miners are practically the only human beings who permanently reside in the Grand canyon, their settlement being located near the entrance of the mine on a plateau above the gorge through which the river flows.

### Appropriate to Character.

"Why in the world did you name your car 'The Scandal Mongery'?"

"It's always running people down."—Houston Post.


## MISS LEOPOLD, SEC'Y LIEDERKRANZ

Writes: "Three Years Ago My System Was In a Run-Down Condition. I Owe to Pe-ru-na My Restoration to Health and Strength."

MISS RICKA LEOPOLD, 137 Main street, Menasha, Wis., Sec'y Liederkranz, writes:

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### Breaking It Gently.

"Good mar-rnin', Mrs. O'Toole," said Mr. Muldoon, stopping at the good woman's door. "I wor just thinkin' how foine yez'd look in black. Sure, with that hair and complexion av yours, yez'd have th' whole town runnin' afther yez, if yez wor a widdy an' wud wear mournin'."

"Arrah, go ca wid yez!" grinned Mrs. O'Toole. "Sure ut's blarneyin' me, yez are!"

"Ol'm not. Ye'd look foine in mournin'. An' sure, ye've a chance to wear it now, f'r yer husband wor killed this mar-rnin' be an autymobile!"—Cleveland Leader.


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The woman of the house eyed him doubtfully.

"You're not the man that comes around here every few weeks, are you?" she queried. "Or have you been sick?"

"I'm the same feller, ma'am," said Tired Knutt; "and I hain't been sick. But I've met with an accident. I fell off the pier into the lake this mornin', an' it changed my face."—Chicago Tribune.


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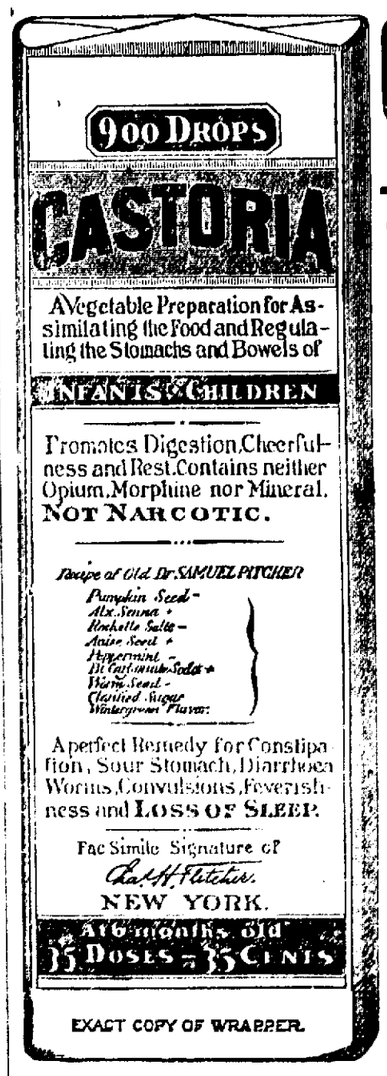


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The dead:

Mrs. Lillian Rheden, Pasadena.

The injured:

Mrs. Dr. J. S. Hunt, Santa Monica, internal injuries, will die.

Miss Lena Rheden, Pasadena, cuts and bruises, not serious.

Miss Henrietta Hunt, Santa Monica, badly bruised.

Charles J. Robb, Fullerton, right hip fractured.

Mrs. Charles J. Robb, Fullerton, three ribs broken.

Their child, uninjured.

Norman E. Kay, Pasadena, bruises, not serious.

Walter Lovelace, driver, contused knee.

Three mules and a horse drawing the stage from Follows Camp in the San Gabriel canyon leaped across the Santa Fe tracks at the Azusa crossing Wednesday and thrust the stage and its load of returning pleasure seekers in the path of a belated passenger train which was passing through the town without stopping. The stage was tossed fifty feet across the tracks, Mrs. Lillian Rheden of Pasadena was killed instantly by the fall, and only the babe in the arms of Mrs. Charles Robb of Fullerton escaped unhurt.

There were eight passengers on the stage. It was driven by Walter Lovelace, an experienced driver and sturdy mountaineer. Hurrying to catch the train to Los Angeles which stops at Azusa at 4:12 p.m., he was within thirty feet of the railroad crossing before he saw train No. 3 of the Santa Fe, traveling as train No. 418, which was four hours late, approaching from the east at a brisk speed.

He promptly turned his lead team west into the wagon road that parallels the railroad track. The two leader mules turned and the mule and horse followed, but only for a few seconds could Lovelace keep them in the road. When about twelve feet down the track, the mules attempted to turn to the north and dragged the stage along the track with its wheels caught inside the rails, while the passengers screamed with terror and the driver sawed the mouths of the stubborn animals.

Suddenly the leader mules leaped across the tracks and the third mule, dragging the horse that was mated with it, made the mad jump and landed almost on the backs of the first pair. The engine was immediately upon the wagonload of people, some of whom covered their faces and shrank down, while others rose to jump. But the whole thing passed in a moment and the stage was lying a wreck with the people thrown in a heap to the right of it. All were hurled clear of wreckage and for a moment it seemed that all had escaped uninjured.

Mrs. Rheden was the only one who did not show some sign of life and fright and her daughter thought she had fainted. The physician who arrived first found that her neck was broken and turned immediately to aid the wounded. Dr. S. A. Ellis, a railroad surgeon of San Bernardino, was on the regular train which came in six minutes later and which waited until the wounded were given temporary surgical attention and carried them to Los Angeles.

WHAT ANOTHER DRIVER SAW.

The doomed stage was immediately preceded by the Queen stage, driven by L. A. Pollard, who witnessed the frantic efforts of Walter Lovelace to control the mules, as his own passengers were getting out at the rear of the Santa Fe depot.

We followed the mountain road, says Pollard. Of course the mules were used to taking the track to the depot that I had just come over. When Lovelace turned them west by the track it was the only thing to do as he tried to check them at the same time and he could stop them as quickly going in that direction as straight ahead. Neither one of us was expecting this train, as it was due at 1:10 o'clock and of course the passengers were urging us to hurry up. [illegible] did the sensible thing to turn the horses that way.

I ran as soon as the crash came and he was trying to help the passengers. The mules are hard to control, or rather [illegible] mouths, but nobody [illegible] expected them to act like this after a sixteen mile drive.

LOVELACE DELIRIOUS

Lovelace was completely unstrung by the accident and [illegible] delirious [illegible] night and his friends declared he could not make a coherent statement.

"Considering the approach to the track," said one of the friends of Lovelace, "it is a wonder accidents have not happened there before."

Then he showed the way that the view of the Santa Fe track to the east is cut off from the mountain road. Lovelace drove in from the north. About one hundred feet from the track stands the packing house, a long building, and just beside the road at the place and paralleling the railroad track is a billboard twelve feet high and about forty feet long. It was just beyond this that Lovelace discovered the train coming. The tracks of the wheels in the roadway show that he attempted to turn just about as the end wheels of the stage passed the billboard when he received a full view toward the east.

The engineer of the train gave four short blasts just before the stage was struck, say witnesses. This was probably sixty feet from the crossing. Within 100 feet the train came to a full stop. This crossing is on the main street of Azusa and has no electric bell because the one immediately to the east has one which must have sounded before Lovelace sighted the train.

There is a great deal of sympathy for Lovelace locally, as he has the reputation of being a reliable, trustworthy man.

WHAT TRUSTEE SAYS.

Another view is expressed by Trustee Parkinson of the governing board of the city.

"The stages are always driving in at full speed to meet the train. They cannot be safe in taking that crossing at any speed, and it seems that the pitcher has gone to the well once too often."

The delight of driving up in good style at the railway station is a part of the exhilaration of the mountain camp and the drivers have pride perhaps in making the turn as stage drivers of tradition would have made it. It rounds up the mountain outing. They usually allow two hours and twenty-five minutes for the trip from Follows Camp, a distance of sixteen miles, but over rough downhill roads. It is history that the stages never miss a train.

STATEMENT OF FOLLOWS.

"The train which struck the stage was going about twenty-five miles per hour. The Azusa city ordinance limits the speed of trains to four miles per hour," said Ralph R. Follows last evening. Mr. Follows is proprietor of Follows Camp in the San Gabriel canyon, from which camp the ill-fated stage was bound. He owned the stage and animals.

"The train," said Mr. Follows, "was only about five minutes ahead of the local. For the passengers on the stage to board the local it was necessary that they should be driven across the track and on to the depot a short distance east of the crossing. It was natural that the driver should mistake the train for the local and suppose that it would stop at the station, which would give him an opportunity to drive across in front of it. There are from three to ten stages per day coming down the canyon now, carrying from twenty-five to 100 people who have to cross at that point."

Mr. Follows made a record trip from his camp to Azusa. He drove over that distance in an hour and fifteen minutes after receiving a telephone message announcing the accident.

## REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

### A Clean, Strong Ticket Assures Victory All Along the Line.

The Republican county convention, which concluded its labors at Venice Wednesday night, honored itself by placing in nomination one of the strongest, cleanest and most able tickets that has ever been offered to the Republican voters of Los Angeles county.

A single glance at the personnel of the stalwart partisans selected as standard bearers will, we think, convince everyone that victory is assured all along the line at the election to be held next November.

In many respects Venice is an ideal spot to hold a political convention and the convention just held will go down to the annals of Republicanism as one of the most enjoyable as well as one of the most remarkable in some respects ever held in Los Angeles county.

The gathering was remarkably free from acrimonious wrangling and disputes. Indeed, harmony seemed to be the keynote of the big convention from the beautiful and tuneful renditions of the musical classics by Chillerelli's band to the dulcet tones of Bradner Lee, chairman of the convention, who surprised his friends by an exhibition of executive abiltiy that held the immense body to its deliberations and at several crucial moments extricated it from what threatened to be embarassing, if not disastrous, entanglements.

In the organization of the convention the following local men were honored with places on important committees: J. W. Calvert, Azusa; Palmer Ashton, Pomona, committee on organization and order of business; Geo. S. Phillips, Pomona, committee on resolutions; J. H. Coolman, Covina, committee on credentials.

The complete county ticket follows, as does that of the districts and townships of local interest.

The following were elected by acclamation, having either no opposition or their opponents withdrawing:

For unexpired term. Judge of the Superior Court, Charles Monroe.

For County Clerk, C. G. Keyes.

For County Recorder, Charles L. Logan.

For District Attorney, J. D. Fredericks.

For County Assessor, Calvin Hartwell.

For County Surveyor, Ivory B. Noble.

Nominations made in its closing session at Venice Wednesday were as follows:

Superior Judges—long term—James C. Rives, W. P. James, Frederick W. Houser, Walter Bordwell, Geo. H. Hutton.

Sheriff, W. A. Hammel.

Auditor, Herbert G. Dow.

Tax Collector, W. O. Welch.

Treasurer, John N. Hunt.

Superintendent of Schools, Mark Keppel.

Public Administrator, Frank Bryson.

Coroner, Dr. R. S. Lanterman.

Supervisor, First District, C. D. Manning, Lamanda Park.

Supervisor, Third District, S. T. Eldridge, Los Angeles.

Assemblyman, 68th District, Prescott F. Cogswell, El Monte.

Rowland Township: Justice, W. P. Marshall.

Constable, I. C. Fairly.

One of the closing acts of the convention was the Supervisorial contest in the First District, C. H. Manning of Lamanda Park winning on first ballot over his three opposing candidates C. E. Bemis of Covina 7; Chester Barton of El Monte 4; Capt. J. T. Brady of Pomona 39; C. H. Manning, Lamanda Park, 92.

The following resolution, offered by Mr. Hahn of Pasadena, was unanimously adopted:

"Resolved, that the candidate here placed in nomination for Supervisor be pledged to give his vote and influence in enforcing the resolution against all forms of gambling on race tracks and elsewhere, as recommended and endorsed by the Republican county convention now in session."

Manning's easy victory was partly due to the fact that Pomona's delegation, the home of Capt. Brady, failed to support Judge Gibbs of Pasadena for renomination, Pasadena delegates retaliating, landing Manning by a large majority.

Among the noteworthy features of the convention were the following incidents:

Tuesday just at noon W. E. Easton, a colored delegate, made an emphatic protest against what he termed unjust discrimination, saying that the restaurants and hotels of Venice refused to feed colored men. Mr. Hunter, manager of the Hutton candidacy for Judge, relieved an ugly situation and captured the solid negro delegation by inviting them to be the guests of the Santa Monica Club.

The old time oratory was conspicuous by its absence. The order was given to cut it out, but the political spellbinders were there and almost bursting under the pressure of pent up speeches. Several of these broke out at unexpected places; one old timer tried hard to make a nomination speech but failed miserably after two attempts when he was called to order by the chair and howled down by the delegates. Ex-Senator Dorsey Patton broke the rule and made an impassioned plea for what he termed patriotic effervescence, and coming just as it did, at the time when the convention was keyed up to the highest tension on Billy Hammell's terrific fight to land the nomination for Sheriff, he struck a responsive chord and the hitherto decorous body resolved itself into one mass of howling, cheering, screaming humanity.

It was a great convention great in numbers, deliberations and results, and great will be the victory that will crown the selected standard bearers at the fall election.

LOCAL INCIDENTS.

The selection of a County Central Committeeman in the Covina City precinct developed an amusing contest, Austin Warner and C. E. Bemis both seeking the honors. It resulted in the selection by the delegation of A. R. Evans. The choice was a wise one, Mr. Evans being a man who has kept himself entirely free in the past from factional fights and as such should prove acceptable to all. That it is a disappointment to Mr. Warner cannot be denied as he labored most perseveringly for the past six weeks to secure a delegation that would tender him the bouquet.

Alex Carnahan was the choice of the delegates of the Covina country precinct for committeeman.

W. P. Marshall for Justice and I. C. Fairly for Constable for Rowland township were announced as the unanimous choice of the delegtion, although some little opposition developed at first from one of the outside delegates to Mr. Marshall.

The support which Covina's candidate for Supervisor, Mr. C. E. Bemis, received from the Azusa and Glendora delegations is appreciated by local Republicans, and the day perhaps is not far off when this section will be able to reciprocate for favors received.

One of the surprises of the convention was the nomination of Dr. R. S. Lanterman for the office of Coroner. This is of local interest, Dr. Lanterman being the brother of Mrs. L. M. La Fetra of Glendora.

The nomination of John M. Hunt for County Treasurer is also a popular choice in these parts where John has many friends who extend him their congratulations.

Covina was honored in the convention by the selection of J. H. Coolman as a member of one of the principal committees. This gentleman was also selected as one of the tellers in the 68th Assembly District Convention.

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### Notice of Hearing of Petition for Probate of Will.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles. In the matter of the estate of Stephen C. Headley, sometimes known as S. C. Headley, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the petition of Anna M. Headley for the probate of the will of Stephen C. Headley, sometimes known as S. C. Headley, deceased, and for the issuance of letters testamentary thereon to Anna M. Headley will be heard at 10 o'clock a. m. on the 5th day of September, 1906, at the court room of Department 2 of the Superior Court of Los Angeles County, California.

C. G. Keyes, County Clerk,
by W. L. Warren, Deputy.

R. B. Bidwell, Glendora, Cal., attorney for petitioner.

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### Notice of Sale of Real Estate at Private Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that in pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of the County of San Luis Obispo, State of California, made on the 1st day of August, 1906, in the matter of the estate of Charles E. Eastman, deceased, the undersigned, the administrator of the said estate, will on or after August 29th, 1906, sell at private sale to the highest bidder, for cash, gold coin of the United States, and subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, all the right, title and interest and estate of the said Charles E. Eastman, at the time of his death, and all the right, title and interest that the said estate has, by operation of law or otherwise, acquired other than or in addition to that of the said Charles E. Eastman at the time of his death, in and to that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate in the Rancho Los Alamitos, Los Angeles County, State of California, described as follows, to-wit: Being lot No. 2 in Block D of a re-subdivision of portions of Alamitos Tract and Alamitos Beach Townsite as surveyed in April, 1891, by Will F. Sweeney, and a map of which re-subdivision is recorded in the [illegible] of Los Angeles County, California, in the office of the County Recorder of said county, in Book 33 of Miscellaneous Records, page nine [illegible], to which said map and notes explanatory thereof, as subsequently recorded, reference is hereby made for a more particular description, and the same is made a part hereof. Said Lot No. 2 in Block D is estimated to contain five and [illegible] acres; acreage being calculated centers of all streets and alleys.

Terms and conditions of sale: cash, gold coin of the United States, ten per cent of purchase money payable at the time of sale and balance on confirmation of sale by said Superior Court. Bids for said property will be received at B. F. Eastman's residence, 1550 Mill street, in the City of San Luis Obispo, California.

B. F. EASTMAN.
Administrator of the estate of Charles E. Eastman, deceased.

Dated August, 1906.

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### National Baptist Convention.

The National Baptist Convention will convene in Los Angeles, Sept. 16, 1906. For this occasion the Santa Fe will sell tickets from the East to Los Angeles and San Francisco at half rates. Write to your friends. tf

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Covina High Land Citrus Union will be held on Monday, August 27, at 10 a. m., at the office of the corporation in the City of Covina, for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

G. N. ATWOOD,
Secretary.

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